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RACETRACK LOBBY'S TALK DELAYS SENATE ON GAMBLING BILLS

Representatives of Racing Crowd Talk Against Time on the Floor of the Upper House and Use Stock Arguments as Minutes Pass Until 12 O'Clock, When Recess Is Necessary to Take Senatorial Vote—Debate Resumed in the Afternoon.

POST-DISPATCH ATTACKED BY FRIENDS OF GAMBLING

No New Arguments Offered by Senators Who Speak for Retention of Law Licensing Bookmaking and Poolselling—One Advocate of Race Betting Quotes Scripture—Three Legislators Are Absent Without Reason Being Assigned.

JEFFERSON CITY, Mo., March 9.—Arguments are still in progress in the Senate on the bills to repeal the breeders' law and to prohibit bookmaking and poolselling at racetracks.

Talk for time by representatives of the racetrack interests delayed the morning session until, at noon, it was necessary to take a recess for the joint ballot on the senatorship. Most of the time was devoted by friends of the gambling interests to tirades against the Post-Dispatch.

At 2:30 the Senate reconvened and the debate was resumed.

In counting noses for the racetrack interests before the morning session began three senators were found to be absent. They are Senators Buchanan of California, McAllister of Monroe County and Curry of Ozark County.

Senator Buchanan is admittedly an opponent of the anti-gambling bill. He left for his home, which is only 75 miles from here, yesterday.

No reason is given for the absence of Senator McAllister. Sentiment in Senator McAllister's district is unanimous against bookmaking and poolselling.

None here, not even his son, can explain the absence of Senator Curry from the capital. Senator Curry once declared unequivocally that he favored legislation against racetrack gambling.

Half an hour before the session began, L. S. Gardner, president, and J. H. Harkless, attorney of the Elm Ridge racetrack of Kansas City, appeared in the Senate chamber. Then followed a short conference between the two Kansas City men and several of the senators, among whom were McIndoe of Jasper and Clarke of Kansas City. Clark is one of the senators who recently changed his mind on the subject of racetrack-gambling legislation.

Aside from this and an animated conversation near Senator Kinealy's desk, in which Senators Wornall and Brown participated, there was little transpired to mark in any unusual manner the action that was to be taken.

Prayer Against Gambling.

According to custom, Chaplain Bailey opened the session with prayer, and there was absolute silence in the Senate chamber as he invoked divine guidance on the senators and enjoined them "not to weigh pecuniary considerations against the value of souls." He prayed for the lawmakers to deliver the state from "gambling and all other vices."

The Senate chamber was crowded to its capacity when the debate opened. In the audience were scores of women. The racetrack lobbyists remained just outside the railing which separates senators from spectators.

Senator Ely called up the bill to repeal the breeders' law. After he had explained its provisions, Senator Morton of Ray arose to address the Senate. He called attention to the circumstances under which the breeders' law was passed and asked every senator to cast his vote according to the dictates of his conscience.

"I have no patience with that class of men who distrust the motives of those who differ with them," Senator Morton said.

Morton Scores Ministers.

Then, in an ingenious manner, he paved the way for the senatorial racing clique to vote "safely" on the gambling bills. He lashed himself into fury over the action of ministers in asking for the repeal of the breeders' law.

"No newspaper," he said, "that bears the stamp of respectability in the state of Missouri is demanding the repeal of this law."

He then tossed a bouquet to the Kansas City newspaper which is advocating the retention of the racetrack gambling statute.

Morton then proceeded to play on the prejudices of the Senate by attacking the Post-Dispatch because of its criticism of certain senators who had changed their positions with respect to repeal legislation. He tried to defend his record as a lobby leader, but it was a faint-hearted effort.

Morton devoted 15 minutes to his tirade against the Post-Dispatch and got clear away from the issue, so that it became evident he was talking against time.

"The racetrack men of St. Louis," he said, "have never been arrested. They have obeyed the laws, Mr. President, and they are entitled to consideration.

"I hope this repeal bill will be defeated, because the breeders' law is founded on right principles, and you have no right to take away the property of these people."

Senator McNatt replied to Senator Morton by saying that the newspapers were not a part of the bills to repeal the breeders' law.

"This is not a newspaper, not a religious question, but one of morals.

"I am not here to attack or defend any newspaper, I have said newspapers are not the issue. The issue is whether this Senate shall continue in partnership with crime.

"The state must go out of the gambling business and that is the only question we are to pass upon.

"The moral sentiment of the state demands the repeal of the breeders' law and the enactment of a stringent statute against bookmaking and poolselling."

Senator Frank Farris of Crawford County, was the next speaker in behalf of the racetrack gambling statute. He argued that the liquor evil was more injurious than gambling and that pleasures were ruined at racetracks by reason of the fact that they "were steeped in whisky."

Farris used the stock argument of the racetrack men that the Merchants' Exchange was a gambling institution and worked more hardship and ruin among the people than racetracks.

Farris Quotes Scripture!

In glowing language Farris described a horserace and illustrated by gesture and manner how the spectators were thrilled with excitement and enthusiasm as the ponies came into the home stretch.

"The spirit of man is not to be subdued," said the Crawford County senator, "and therefore we cannot wholly suppress gambling.

"If we vote against the repeal of this law we can go home and face our constituents, who will shower encomiums upon our heads and say: 'Well done, thou good and faithful servant.'"

Senator Kinealy, agent of the racetrack gambling interests, followed Farris and pleaded earnestly the cause of his racing clientele. He told of the condition existing in St. Louis prior to the passage of the breeders' law and attempted to show that under no circumstances could bookmaking and poolselling be suppressed, law or no law.

Senator Humphrey of Shelby County, declared that he was opposed to racetrack gambling which he believed would prove detrimental to his community.

Senator McDavid of Green County, also attacked the gambling statute.

Both Senators McDavid and Humphrey took exception to an editorial published in the Post-Dispatch criticising them for voting against the anti-bribery bill.

McDavid was followed by Hicks of Saline, who said:

"Personally, I was for repeal a month ago, but since that time a large number of my constituents have asked me to vote for a substitute bill, and that is what I intend to do.—

"If the state officers do their duty under the proposed bill, we will have clean race meetings. This is the reason I vote 'No.'

"I have got $3 in my pocket and I didn't get that from any man who wanted to beat the repeal bill," concluded Senator Hicks. Whereat there was a laugh all around.

WHAT THE FOUR BILLS BEFORE SENATE MEAN.

JEFFERSON CITY, Mo., March 9.—The Senate took up for final action at 10:30 o'clock this morning all measures bearing on racetrack legislation. These include:

First—House bill No. 10, which repeals the so-called breeders' law.

Second—House bill No. 716, enacting in lieu of the breeders' law, a statute to prohibit without restriction bookmaking and poolselling in the state of Missouri.

Third—A bill offered by Senator W. R. Kinealy of St. Louis, reaffirming in all essential particulars the breeders' law and extending the period of racing—that is, the period during which gambling may be carried on at the racetracks—to 120 days.

Fourth—A bill recommended by the Elm Ridge Racing Association of Kansas City, limiting the racing period to 90 days—a provision now made by the breeders' law.

Kinealy's bill and also the one offered by the Kansas City racetrack people differ only as to the time limit set upon racing, or rather gambling, at the racetracks.

Both differ from the breeders' law in this respect:

Instead of the state licensing bookmakers, as is done under the present law, the "bookies," according to the provisions of the substitute measure, fathered by the St. Louis and Kansas City racetrack people, receive their licenses from the association conducting race meetings.

The racing associations obtain the right

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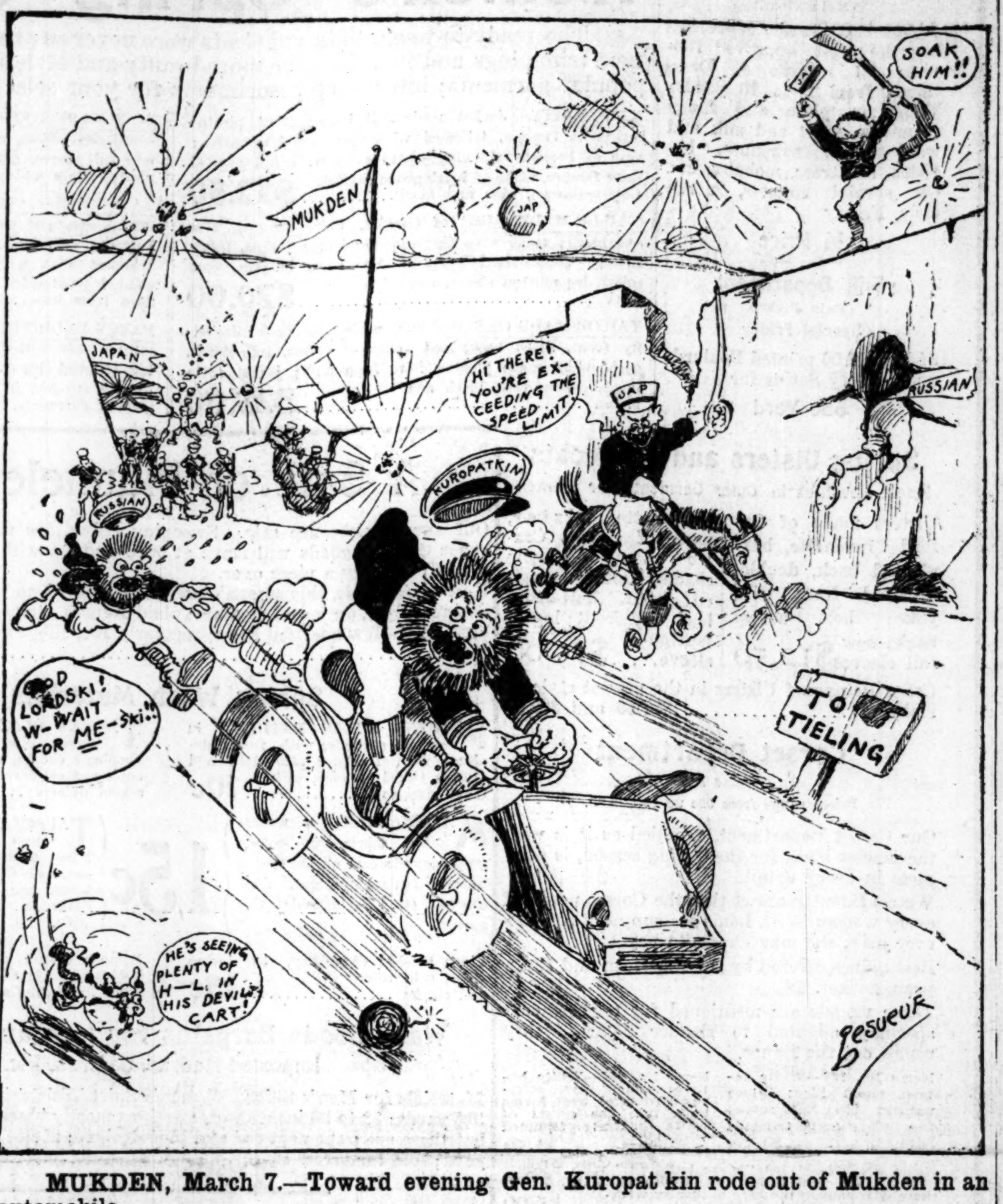
KUROPATKIN'S RETREAT BEGUN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JAP
MUKDEN
JAP
JAPAN
HI THERE! YOU'RE EXCEEDING THE SPEED LIMIT!
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KUROPATKIN
GOOD LORDSKI! W-WAIT FOR ME-SKI!!
TO TIELING
HE'S SEEING PLENTY OF H—L IN HIS DEVIL CART!
LESUEUR

MUKDEN, March 7.—Toward evening Gen. Kuropat kin rode out of Mukden in an automobile.

—News item.

LIKE "PHYLLIS" SHE MADE DISHES FLY

Cook for Thomas S. Gerhart Left Little Unbroken When Told to Leave.

According to his testimony in the City Hall police court Thursday morning, Thomas S. Gerhart, 4609 Westminster place, thought for a while Saturday morning that he was entertaining "Phillis" of Post-Dispatch funny side fame.

Gerhart was complaining witness in a peace disturbance charge against Fanny Johnson, who began to cook at his house Feb. 1. Policemen Forrester and Maloney were his supporting witnesses.

Gerhart said he decided Saturday morning to "fire" his cook. He went to the kitchen and told her she must go.

He said she made a shrill remonstrance, flung a dishrag across the kitchen and then threw some of the dishes at him and others at the floor and the walls.

Next, he said, she attacked the kitchen range, and prepared a good job for the stove repair man.

She slammed tables and chairs against each other and against the walls until the place was a cyclone of flying chair legs and splintered seats. Gerhart proved suc- and splintered seats.

There she went to her room declaiming defiance and indignation at every step.

Gerhart waited half an hour and then approached the barricaded door and demanded evacuation. He says his flag of truce met with a volley of angry denunciation of him and his house, and he was told that Miss Johnson would leave when "good and ready."

He called two policemen and thus reinforced, went again to the door, threatening to break it.

"Go as far as you like," shouted Miss Johnson. "If you want to break your own property, it's nothing to me. But I'm not coming out until I get ready."

Ten minutes later she marched forth with her bundle and was arrested.

"Did you use the language these witnesses say you used?" Judge Tracy asked Miss Johnson.

"No, I didn't," she answered sharply. "I'm a lady and don't use such language."

"Did you smash things up, as they said you did?"

"Yes, I did," she said.

"I have always worked in the best families. Mr. Gebhart discharged me; there was four days over a month coming to me. It is the custom in the best families not to pay for the extra days. I didn't expect him to pay. So I began to smash the dishes to get even."

"I fine you $25," said Judge Tracy.

"Humph," she said. "The dishes were not worth more than 35 cents."

"If you don't keep quiet, I'll make the fine $50," warned the judge.

Miss Johnson's lawyer got her from the stand in time to prevent another verbal outburst, and then she gave him the money with which to pay the fine.

Aged Injured Woman Reminiscent

Mrs. Bridget Gallagher of 2428 South Third street, who was taken to the City Hospital Wednesday night for treatment for paralysis resulting from a fall on a slippery sidewalk, entertained the attaches who cared for her with descriptions of the place where she fell, when it was far from the city, and considered the country. Mrs. Gallagher is 75 years old and has spent most of her life in St. Louis. Her condition is serious.

DEADLOCK MAY GIVE VICTORY TO ADAMS

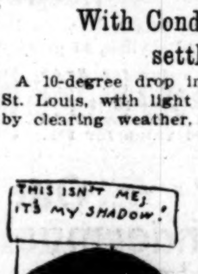
Split in Colorado Republican Party Likely to Defeat Attempt to Grab the Governorship.

DENVER, March 9.—The Republican majority in the general assembly is apparently hopelessly split over the proposition to make James H. Peabody's fight a party measure and to seat the former executive in place of Gov. Adams. Should the election of the governor be declared invalid the anti-Peabody Republicans will nevertheless probably prevent the seating either of the latter or of Lieutenant-Governor McDonald, in which case a deadlock will be created and Alva Adams remain as governor.

LIGHT RAIN THURSDAY NIGHT

Colder Weather Is Also in Sight, With Conditions Unsettled.

A 10-degree drop in the temperature at St. Louis, with light rains, to be followed by clearing weather, is the prediction of the official forecaster. The forecast is:


THIS ISN'T ME, IT'S MY SHADOW!

"Fair Friday, preceded by unsettled weather and light rains tonight. Much colder; minimum temperature tonight about 25 degrees above zero."

The official thermometer this morning at 7 o'clock showed 35 degrees above zero, although ice formed in the western part of the city. The cold weather is coming from the Northwest, but is expected to pass soon, as warmer weather prevails back of it.

Heavy rains have fallen in Arkansas, Tennessee and Mississippi, and there is snow in the upper lake regions. Colder weather is the rule over the greater part of the country.

WAS HE PRAYING FOR TOGA?

Queer Individual Who Claimed to Be Niedringhaus Interrupted in Devotions by Police.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

KANSAS CITY, Mo., March 9.—The sight of a man praying in Kansas City was such a surprise to the police at the Union Passenger station, where he was engaged in his devotions, that they took the curiosity to police headquarters.

The stranger claimed at first to be Thomas K. Niedringhaus, but a card in his pocket bore the name of Max Goodman.

The prisoner finally admitted that the card was right and that his home is at Warrensburg, Mo.

WOMAN ARRESTED FOR TAKING GIRL

Mrs. Dunvaney, Who Figures in Book Cases, Represented Herself as Wife of Judge.

A warrant was issued Thursday charging Mrs. Henrietta Duvaney with spiriting away Josephine E. Huber, aged 17, who on Feb. 19, caused a warrant to be issued against Lawrence Hutchins of 3951 Ohio avenue, charging assault. Mrs. Duvaney, who represented herself as Mrs. Elmer B. Adams, wife of the federal judge and in charge of the women's department, admits that she took the girl from the home of Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Dean, 3830 California avenue, but insists she acted only as she thought best for the girl.

Mrs. Duvaney, who is a prisoner at the Wyoming street police station, was recently defendant in several cases charging her with securing books from publishers under false pretenses. In those cases it was charged that she had given the names La Bar and Isles in making the fraudulent contracts. Her husband, Duvaney, was convicted, but she was acquitted.

Miss Huber and Mrs. Dean told Assistant Prosecuting Attorney Dalton that Feb. 23, four days after the warrant was issued against Hutchins, Mrs. Duvaney appeared at the Dean home and said she learned Miss Huber was a wayward girl and wished to return her to her parents' home at Trenton, Ill.

Mrs. Dean was doubtful but when Mrs. Duvaney threatened to prosecute her for harboring the girl Mrs. Dean let the girl go.

Miss Huber denied the charge, but said rather than cause her employer any trouble, she would go. Mrs. Duvaney took the girl to her room at the Wellington Hotel. Then she put her on a train for home.

Mr. Dean telephoned Miss Huber, calling her back and took her to Capt. Boyd, who detailed Special Officers Maloney and Scher, on the case.

Miss Huber accompanied the officers to the Wellington Hotel near Union Station. There it was found Mrs. Duvaney had moved to the Stratford Hotel, where she was arrested.

Mrs. Duvaney says after reading of the case in which the girl first figured as prosecuting witness, she felt sorry for her and wanted to shield her.

HER DEPOSIT 70 POUNDS OF CASH

School Girl Opens Account of $117 With Rockford (Ill.) Bank in Pennies.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

ROCKFORD, Ill., March 9.—Nellie Mason, a school girl of this city surprised officials of one of the local savings banks by pulling a toy wagon inside the counting room. Then she took the cover from the load and passed to the receiving teller seventy pounds of pennies.

There were 11,700 coppers done up in round packages of twenty-five each. With the load she opened a savings account with $117 to her credit.

The pennies had been given her by her father, a small merchant in the residence section.

TIE PASS, RUSSIANS' LAST REFUGE, LOST; SURRENDER CERTAIN

Nogi's Veterans Reach Strategetic Point by Series of Forced Marches, Invest the Place, and Now Kuropatkin Must Lay Down His Arms or Suffer Annihilation in Trap.

80,000 OF CZAR'S MEN COMPLETELY CUT OFF

Oku's Army Together With Port Arthur Solders Accomplish the Feat—Hemmed In On All Sides and With Their Army Shattered and Distintegrated Muscovites Cannot Hold Out a Week.

By the Associated Press.

NEW CHWANG, March 9, via Tientsin.—Tie Pass has been invested by the Japanese, according to reports here. It is expected that Gen. Kuropatkin, having no alternative, will be forced to surrender within a week.

The Russians have not been reinforced from the direction of Harbin since March 1.

Gen. Nogi's army made forced marches of 25 miles and, acting in conjunction with Gen. Oku's force, surrounded 80,000 of the Czar's troops in the direction of Tie Pass and cut off their supplies.

The hurrying Japanese passed one division of the Russians without giving it the least attention, until the enveloping movement was completed, when they crushingly attacked the Muscovite body on all sides.

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A persistent, though unconfirmed, report has it that the Russians' western line has been broken and the main force pushed eastward and northward. Should this be true, Gen. Bilderling's army is certainly trapped and faces annihilation or capture.

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KUROPATKIN'S CASE A DESPERATE ONE

ST. PETERSBURG, March 9, 3 a. m.—The battle of Mukden has resulted in a Russian defeat.

Field Marshal Oyama has once more proved himself one of the greatest masters of offensive strategy since Napoleon, while Gen. Kuropatkin is now engaged in endeavoring to defend his title as a master of successful retreats.

The problem before the Russian commander-in-chief is much more difficult than he met successfully at Liaoyang, since now he is threatened [illegible] his left wing being enveloped in a mountainous region far from the railroad.

Only to the initiated is the news of the reverse positively known at this time. Emperor Nicholas and high military officers were, of course, informed by Gen. Kuropatkin's telegram of Tuesday, stating that Mukden must be abandoned. They also received detailed reports of the beginning of the withdrawal as they appeared in excised portions of the official dispatches given out yesterday.

The news, however, is only what was expected; ultimate retirement had been discounted from the moment Oyama inaugurated his brilliant move westward.

If the Japanese succeed in reaching the railroad and interrupt traffic, if only for a few hours, it may have the gravest consequences for Gen. Kuropatkin, who is now engaged in a literal race with the Japanese to reach a naturally defensible position 40 miles northward.

All reports indicate that the Japanese were unusually reckless of sacrifices, making attack after attack, especially on the center and westward, against machine guns and infantry fire, which literally mowed down the advancing columns, making [illegible] so [illegible] that the survivors could bastion themselves behind piles of corpses.

After this action Gen. Kuropatkin's deposition may be regarded as certain. War Minister Sakharoff is picked as his probable successor, though Grand Duke Nicholas Nicholaievitch of the board of strategists may be intrusted with the direction of affairs.

A strong faction of the army, those high in influence about the Emperor, opposed Gen. Kuropatkin from the first, and [illegible] early defeats were [illegible] but it was realized that Gen. Kuropatkin [illegible] after twice having had the opportunity to show what he could do with a powerful army and having failed to accomplish [illegible] either time, his removal is advisable.

A high military official said last night that Gen. Kuropatkin had [illegible] enough of a [illegible] whose interpretation of a victory was a successful retreat.

HANDBOOK IS OPENLY MADE IN THIS SALOON

"Joe" Displays No Secrecy in Taking Money on Race Entries at Fred W. Plummer's, 812 North Third Street.

TAKES POST-DISPATCH REPORTER'S $2 ON BET

"Money Sent to East St. Louis," but Results From Five Tracks Reported on Ticker—Pitch for Cash Played.

At the saloon of Fred W. Plummer at 812 North Third street a handbook is conducted in bold and open fashion and money is received from anybody and no questions are asked as to whether it belongs to the one offering it or to somebody else.

A fellow who is known as "Joe" to the habitues of the place, operates the book. His other name is said to be King. The cards giving the entries at City Park and Crescent Park he carries in plain view in his outside coat pocket. He is so bold and so eager for business that he takes money even when he is suspicious and even when he knows that he is being watched.

When the Post-Dispatch reporters entered Plummer's saloon Thursday afternoon, the bartender, who is called Henry, recognized one of them and he tipped off Joe to go slow.

The two left shortly and a capper followed them north on Third street. After leading him a fruitless chase they returned to the saloon and took seats at a table.

One of them asked Joe for the "dope" card on the City Park entries and Joe reluctantly handed it to him.

While the two were studying it another Post-Dispatch reporter came in.

"Got the Crescent City "dope?" he asked of Joe.

"What do you mean?" asked Joe, looking keenly at the newcomer.

"I want to put one down. Is anything doing?"

"Well, yes, I can send it out for you. We have to send 'em over to East St. Louis."

Takes Reporter's Money.

"I like Fern's Rod," said the man, laying $2 in Joe's hand. "Play it straight."

"What initials?" asked Joe.

"F. S. C."

Joe wrote "Fern's Rod, F. S. C." on a pad and said "All right."

"Where'll I go after the race?"

"Oh, you can see me around here any morning after 10 o'clock."

"Then I'll come here."

"Yes."

The other two reporters, from their seats at the table, saw the transaction.

They also saw two or three others come in and place bets.

After the man who bet on Fern's Rod had gone out, one of the others offered to put $3 on A Convict at the City Park.

Joe hesitated, but he knew that the man had seen him take the other bets, and he took the money, saying he would have to send it to East St. Louis.

He was given the initials K. C. M. He wrote them on a separate piece of paper, but did not write the name of the horse.

The saloon was also visited Wednesday by a Post-Dispatch reporter who saw the handbook in operation that day. One commission merchant on one of the horses at New Orleans splitting it $5 straight and and $5 for place. Joe was using a handpad, which had been one-half to three-quarter-inches thick, and there were only a few sheets left in it.

Saloon Has Glaring Front.

The saloon bearing the name of Plummer is a three-story antiquated affair of brick, the entrance of which is a few doors north of Morgan street. The exterior is painted a gorgeous red, presenting a striking contrast to the buildings in its immediate vicinity, occupied by the commission merchants. It is from the latter and their clerks that the handbook operated there receives its play.

Passing through the door, the barroom is reached by turning to the right behind a partition. Flush against the wall at the right of the partition is a "ticker" upon which is reported the stock market quotations and the results of the races at the five tracks now running. The ticker is within ten feet of the street.

Having passed the partition, the barroom is in evidence. It measures 25 by 18 feet. At the rear is a washroom and kitchen.

The bar itself extends along the northern wall for perhaps fifteen feet. At the street end of it is a cigar stand, placed flush against the glass which looks out upon Third street. Stairways leading to the floor break the wall line above the cigar stand and extreme western end of the bar. On the break so formed is a push button such as is usually found within easy reach of bartenders of lookout in buildings which shelter gamblers. The wires from this button lead straight up.

In the center of the barroom, in which Joe King was Wednesday and Thursday seen by Post-Dispatch reporters to be operating his handbook, stands a large hotblast stove. Behind it and in a line with the ticker are three card and drinking tables. On Wednesday and Thursday commission men and clerks were seated at these tables during the noon hour playing pitch for cash.

A small table upon which was set a skimpy lunch and a few chairs complete the furnishings of the room.

Get Money Quick in Pitch.

Even the pitch games were not free from the spirit of getting the money and getclerk, lost a dollar-up game while the handbook betting was going on by the "poor" play of a lounger, who "accidentally" threw a ten-spot to a friend when it was a question of the "friend" or clerk winning the game. When the clerk had paid his dollar and departed, the lounger suggested that it might be a good thing to whack up the proceeds, as he (the lounger) could have made the clerk win the game had he so desired.

Joe King, the operator of the hand-book, who says the money is "placed" in East St. Louis, is a smooth shaven man of thirty, well dressed and would appear at home in a better calling. He wore on Thursday a dark suit, brown derby hat, stripped shirt, turn over collar and drab diuamond ring was worn upon his left hand. He presented the appearance of a prosperous handbooker. He remarked to a better, "You can bet me as strong as you like."

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The May Co.

SPEECHES OF RACETRACK MEN DELAY THE SENATE

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to operate directly from the state auditor and for this privilege, under the terms of the alleged compromise bills, they pay into the state treasury at the close of the racing season 5 per cent of their gross gate receipts.

There is no law proposed to abolish horse racing, but merely the gambling feature of it.

Ten days ago the House of Representatives, by a vote of 111 to 9, passed the repeal bill and bill No. 716 to stop racetrack gambling. If either the Kinealy bill or its twin sister from Kansas City is adopted by the Senate the breeders' law will stand as it is, for the House will refuse to concur in any compromise proposition.

Fight on Breeders' Law.

The fight, therefore, is really on the breeders' law and the sole question at issue is whether the gamblers shall operate at the racetracks by virtue of a law authorizing them to do so.

The breeders' law was enacted in 1897. Prior to that time there were laws on the statute books which permitted bookmaking and poolselling at racetracks, but these were denounced as class legislation by the Supreme court and held to be unconstitutional.

Gov. Stephens, who signed the breeders' law, says he did so under a misapprehension of its provisions. Not until after the bill had received his signature did the governor learn that a big slush fund had been up to bring about its passage.

The evils growing up under the law have been recounted from time to time and the most representative citizens of the state have appeared before the House and Senate committees to urge its repeal and ask for the enactment of a law that would drive race track gamblers from the state.

Every effort has been made by the ring of lobbyists working under the skillful guidance of the racetrack syndicate to befog the issue and make it appear that a fight was being made on horse racing.

These same men say, however, for the purpose of bolstering up their argument to retain the breeders' law, that races cannot be conducted unless the state legalizes gambling at the tracks.

Conferences Are Held.

Before the matter was pressed for consideration today there were rumors of conferences during the night, which were said to have been attended by senators friendly to the gambling interests.

Attention was directed yesterday to the fact that several senators had betrayed their pledges to vote for the abolition of the racetrack gambling statute.

Even more conversions to the racing ring were reported today.

Senator Devilbiss has twice gone on record for a law to prohibit bookmaking and poolselling.

In the presence of Senators McDavid and Vories he made the remark that he thought the best thing to do was to retain the breeders' law.

This morning he refused to discuss his attitude with the Post-Dispatch correspondent.

"My vote will tell the story as to where I stand," is all Mr. Devilbiss would say.

It requires 18 votes to pass or repeal a bill in the Senate.

BEAR IS A WHITE ELEPHANT TO HIM

Owner Has Not Called for Bruin and Express Agent Doesn't Know What to Do With It.

P. H. Callahan, agent of the Pacific Express Co., has a bear on his hands which is causing him more trouble and anxiety than a drove of white elephants.

The owner seems to have abandoned it and Mr. Callahan is lying awake nights trying to think what to do with the animal.

Bruin came in Saturday night. He had been put into the baggage car of a train somewhere down in Texas by the owner, who told the express messenger that it had been raised a pet and should be handled with care.

It got out of its crate several times and had to be beaten back into it, and it was in a vicious temper when St. Louis was reached.

The new owner has never possessed a bear before. He offered $20 to anybody who would put the beast into a strong crate and see that it got on a train for Pittsburg, but there were no takers.

The bear was taken to the express office and the man was to have called Sunday morning, but he did not. Mr. Callahan chained the bear in the basement. It is there yet and Mr. Callahan is boarding it.

If the owner doesn't appear shortly there'll be a chance for somebody to get a bear at a bargain.

TO CURE A COLD IN ONE DAY

Take Laxative Bromo Quinine Tablets. All druggists refund the money if it fails to cure. E. W. Grove's signature is on each box. 25c.

Body Is Identified.

The body taken from the Mississippi River Wednesday at War Eagle landing, St. Charles, was identified Thursday as that of P. H. Wemhoener of Quincy, Ill., who left that city Nov. 27, to join a camping party seven miles below the city. He was not seen again until the body was recovered.

ATTRACTIVE

Announcements from the "Ready-to-Wear" departments of the leading dry goods stores will be found every FRIDAY in the POST-DISPATCH.

Scruggs, Vandervoort & Barney

BROADWAY - LOCUST - OLIVE

Tapestries

(Third Floor.)

Friday Remnants

Remnants of Tapestries, Silk Brocades and Velours, for pillow tops and chair covers,

25c up to $3.50

Dress Goods Dept.

(Main Floor.)

About 5000 yards, representing the most approved fabrics; all lengths of Dress Goods from 2 to 10 yards; Voiles in plain and fancy etamines; wool and silk and wool crepes, eoliennes, batistes, albatross, mohairs, etc. On special counter, north aisle, Friday

½ Price

Silk Department

(Main Floor.)

Special Friday

24-inch $1.00 printed Foulards and Liberty Satins for

55c Yard

Women's Spring Garments

The ready-to-wear Suits and Coats were never so attractive; the new materials, new trimmings and new cut give more beauty and style than was ever seen in these popular garments; interesting assortments for your selection.

NEW SUITS. Jacket made full blouse front, pleated back with Peplum, trimmed with fancy braid to match; vest of Persian trimming—gored skirt with full pleated knee flounce, made of herringbone cheviot. Colors—brown, blue and black............ **$32.50**

TAILOR-MADE SUIT of Cheviot. Colors—brown, blue and black; made with three-quarter length jacket, tight-fitting; double-stitched seams, two rows buttons, coat collar, leg mutton sleeve, pleated skirt.................... **$20.00**

TAILOR-MADE CHEVIOT Suit, made with Reefer Jacket, fly front, fitted back, coat collar of velvet, full sleeve, gored skirt made pleated flare from knee; jacket satin lined; colors—blue, black and brown.................... **$25.00**

SUIT MADE WITH Fancy Full Blouse, pleated silk girdle—collarless effect, trimmed with fancy braid and buttons, new full sleeve, gored skirt with full pleated flare and panel front............ **$28.50**

TAN COVERT CLOTH Suit, 24-inch jacket, made tight fitting, strapped seams, double breasted, with two rows buttons; collarless, new full sleeve, collar and cuffs trimmed with white broadcloth and fancy tan braid; pleated gored skirt, tailor strapped, with flare from knee.................... **$27.50**

FANCY HERRINGBONE Cheviot Suit, made blouse jacket, pleated back with full front, with vest of fancy silk vesting, stitched silk collar and girdle, full sleeves, skirt made pleated stitched to knee, panel front, full pleated flounce.................... **$30.00**

Art Needlework Dept.

(Third Floor.)

For Friday's Sale

Royal Society Pillow Tops, with backs, tinted on Berlin crash; with materials for working; also pattern showing how to work,

50c Each

Art Needlework Dept.

(Third Floor.)

For Friday's Sale

Dutch Print Pillow Tops, worth regularly 85c each, for

50c

Tapestry Pillow Tops, worth regularly 50c each, for

25c

Center Pieces

(Third Floor.)

For Friday's Sale

Blue and White Austrian Embroidery; round and square; also Table Covers.

20 in., 95c value for..........75c
28 in., $2.75 value for........$1.95
34 in., $4.00 value for........$2.95
43 in., $7.50 value for........$4.95
54 in., $9.50 value for........$6.95

Spring Ulsters and Raincoats

Latest Novelties in Outer Garments for Women

Ulsters made of Oxford Cravenette, box-pleated back, double-breasted front with yoke; belt across back; new full sleeves **$12.50**

Cravenette Ulster, made of Covert Cravenette, all new shades, double-breasted front, half-fitted back and front; leg of mutton sleeve..... **$15.00**

Other Rainproof Ulsters in the newest style of make at.................. **$27.50** and **$32.50**

Corset Department

(Second Floor.)

Prices range from 50c up to $25.00.

Our Corset Department, supplied as it is with the newest ideas for the Spring season, is complete in every detail.

We confidently assert that the Corset needs of every woman in St. Louis are supplied at whatever price she may choose to pay.

Best values offered by the American and European market.

Three models are mentioned for tomorrow as specially adapted to slender figures; they round out the figure.

Nemo No. 156—White sateen, short hips; gives natural hip full scope; top of corset trimmed with satin ribbon and lace,...... **$1.50**

Nemo No. 155—White batiste; short hips, stiffened, rounded bust forms built into the corset of white satin; trimmed with lace and ribbon........ **$1.50**

Nemo No. 504—styled "figure building;" with pockets over hips and back to be filled in with white curled hair, thereby rounding the hips naturally without necessity of detachable bustle............ **$5.00**

A Sale of Flannelettes

Our annual clearance sale. Sweeping reductions made in order that the goods will move at once and we will not be obliged to carry a piece over.

Up-to-date goods, this season's patterns; printed and woven designs; light, dark and medium; plaid figures, stripes, dots, etc.; only a few hundred bolts; regularly 10c, 12½c and 15c, for.................... **5c** Worth 10c, 12½c and 15c

Spring Wash Materials

PRINTED SHEER BATISTES in white grounds, with floral designs; natural colors; also dots and figures, tinted grounds, with fancy designs.............. **10c**

TARTAN PLAID GINGHAMS, red, green, blue combinations; also shepherd checks, suitable for waists, suits and children's school dresses.............. **12½c**

MARCEL SILK; a washable fabric, in cotton goods department; all the Spring colors; foulard designs, dots, checks, etc. Fashionable this season. **15c**

TAFFETA FOULARDS; a new line of tans, French blues, greens, in exact imitations of silks; high, permanent luster and will wear; a most desirable material, 28 inches wide.

Linen finished Chambray, 30 inches wide; solid color and checks.............. **15c**

Kimona Crepe; solid colors and embroidered dots; all the best designs for Spring and Summer.. **15c**

Wash Goods Bargains for Men and Women

Imported Madras, Oxfords, Etc.

Materials for Men's Shirts, Women's Shirt Waists, in lengths of about 3½ yards; 32 to 36 inches wide; designs mostly black figures on white, but there are some neat red and blue designs; 25c to 30c per yard; sold tomorrow by the piece of 3½-yard lengths for...... **69c**

Sale of Model Suits For Women

The balance of the stock left from the last week's selling will be cleaned up tomorrow. Some are Paris Gowns from our custom department, others odd lots from regular stock; the present marked prices are barely a fraction of the original cost.

$45.00 Suits for $15.00—Fancy Serge, Tweeds and Mohairs; also Pongee Silks; originally $40.00 and $45.00.................... **$15.00**

$100.00 Suits for $25.00—Broadcloths, Chiffons, Camel's Hair, Fancy Tweeds, Voiles and Crepe de Chine; beautifully made suits; originally $85.00 and $100.00, for.................... **$25.00**

$150.00 Suits for $35.00—Materials of Cheviots, Voiles, Pongees and Velvets; originally $100.00 to $150.00, for.................... **$35.00**

$150.00 Suits for $50.00—Materials of Broadcloths; blouse and long coat style; Chiffons, Mulls and Crepe de Chine; originally $100.00 and $150.00, for.................... **$50.00**

White Goods Dept.

(Main Floor.)

Fancy Linen Waistings

Light Cream, Champagne, Dull Bleach, etc.; exceptional values.

Heavy Linen Canvas Suiting, 50c value.............. **25c**

Linen Oxford for waists and children's dresses; 60c value for.............. **30c**

Novelty Round Thread Linen Voile; 60c value for.......... **35c**

Striped Linen Scrim, 44 inches wide; for tucked suits and waists; $1.00 value for..... **50c**

Unbleached Linen for blouses and suits; 50c value for....... **25c**

Snow-Flecked Linen Voile; popular for early summer dresses; 60c value for.............. **35c**

Spiderweb Linen novelty for waists and suits; $1.00 value for.............. **40c**

English Madras Waistings, in beautiful assorted patterns; 50 value for.............. **25c**

On Special Sale

Laces, Embroideries, Trimmings, Garnitures and Fancy Neckwear

A stock of unusual attractiveness, with remarkable price concessions. The prevailing prices are about half the original value.

Net Top Laces

NET Top Laces; ecru, widths from 6 to 12 inches; regular value is $1.00 a yard; to clean up this particular assortment, special price will be marked.......... **25c**

Black Chantilly Laces

Edges and Insertions—one of the best opportunities in the sale. The values show up exceptionally well.

10c for 25c and 30c Chantilly Lace.
15c for 30c and 40c Chantilly Lace.
20c for 35c Chantilly Lace.
50c for $1.00 and $1.75 Chantilly Lace.
$1.25 for $1.85 and $2.00 Chantilly Lace.
$1.50 for $3.00 and $3.50 Chantilly Lace.
$2.00 for $3.00 to $4.00 Chantilly Lace.
$2.50 for $4.00 and $4.50 Chantilly Lace.

Real Cluny Laces

A good variety of Cluny Laces, showing values at unusual prices.

50c for $1.35 Cluny Lace.
75c for $1.75 Cluny Lace.
$1.00 for $1.85 Cluny Lace.
$1.25 for $2.50 Cluny Lace.
$1.50 for $3.50 Cluny Lace.

Black Fancy Nets, Double Widths

50c reduced from 75c.
75c reduced from $1.50.
$1.25 reduced from $2.00.
$1.50 reduced from $2.50.

Lace Robes

An odd lot of Nets, Mousseline de Soie with applique and fancy designs; special prices today.

$10.00 reduced from $55.00.
$15.00 reduced from $45. and $65.00.
$25.00 reduced from $110.00 and $150.00.

Fancy Chiffon Nets and Colored Allovers

75c reduced from $3.00.
$1.00 reduced from $3.50 to $5.50.
$1.25 reduced from $6.50.
$2.00 reduced from $6.50 to $7.50.

Applique Laces—White, Butter and Ecru, Also Irish Crochet Bands

10c for Lace Applique worth 35c and 40c.
18c for Lace Applique worth 50c and 60c.
35c for Lace Applique worth $1.00 and $1.10.
49c for Lace Applique worth $1.25 and $1.50.
75c for Lace Applique worth $2.25 and $2.50.

Neckwear

Chiffon, Mousseline de Soie and Lace Ruffs, rich and stylish, at greatly reduced price.

$8.50 value for $2.00
$15.00 value for $7.50
$20.00 value for $12.50
$25.00 value for $15.00
$125.00 value for $95.
$10.00 value for $3.00
$30.00 value for $20.00
$40.00 value for $25.00
$75.00 value for $45.00
$40.00 value for $30.00

A Sale of Draperies, Lace Curtains, Portieres, Bed Sets

A most fortunate event for housekeepers; timely price reductions on Draperies and Bed Sets. Coming as it does just prior to Spring housecleaning, you will surely see the importance of this sale.

Colored Irish Point Lace Curtains.
$5.75 value for $4.50
$6.50 value for $4.75
$7.50 value for $2.95
$6.75 value for $1.75

Ruffled Muslin.
$2.75 value for $1.75
$3.75 value for $2.50

Renaissance Curtains.
$13.50 value for $8.75
$25.00 value for $14.50
$30.00 value for $21.00
$32.50 value for $19.50
$60.00 value for $40.00
$65.00 value for $42.50
$75.00 value for $48.00

Madras Curtains.
$5.75 value for $3.85
$8.50 value for $5.95
$10.50 value for $4.95
$13.50 value for $9.75
$12.50 value for $5.95
$16.50 value for $12.50
$18.50 value for $13.75
$20.00 value for $15.00

Irish Point Sash Curtains.
$1.25 value for 50c
$1.50 value for 65c

Nottingham Curtains.
$3.00 value for $2.25
$3.50 value for $2.95
$4.00 value for $3.00
$5.00 value for $3.95

Arabian Curtains.
$18.50 value for $10.50
$20.00 value for $13.50
$25.00 value for $16.50
$27.50 value for $18.00
$30.00 value for $19.50
$35.00 value for $22.50
$37.50 value for $25.00

Bonne Femme Curtains.
$9.00 value for $2.00 each.
$7.50 value for $3.50 each.
$7.00 value for $5.00 each.
$8.50 value for $5.75 each.
$9.75 value for $5.75 each.
$5.00 value for $3.95 each.
$11.50 value for $9.00 each.
$12.50 value for $7.00 each.

Special Cretonne Bed Sets

$16.50 Bed Set for $10.00
$9.00 Curtains to match $6.75

Bed Sets.

$5.00 Renaissance $3.50
$11.50 Renaissance $7.95
$12.00 Renaissance $7.50
$15.00 Renaissance $9.50
$19.00 Irish Point $6.75
$12.50 Colored Irish Point $3.50
$10.50 Colored Irish Point $7.95
$50.00 Arabian $27.50

Curtains

Embroidered White China Silk Curtains'
$45.00 value for $16.50

Javanese Curtains.
$10.00 value for $5.95 each.
$12.00 value for $7.00 each.

Taffeta Curtains.
$9.00 value for $3.50
$16.50 value for $7.50

Printed Cotton Curtains.
$4.50 value for $2.95
$18.50 value for $2.95

Art Neuveau Velvet Curtains.
$22.50 value for $18.50
$27.50 value for $22.50

Tapestry Portieres

$5.00 value for $2.50
$5.00 value for $3.75
$8.50 value for $4.95
$9.00 value for $7.00
$11.50 value for $9.00
$13.50 value for $10.00
$15.00 value for $9.75
$18.00 value for $11.00
$20.00 value for $14.75
$27.50 value for $22.50

Misfit Special Order Curtains.

$12.50 value for $4.50
$12.50 value for $6.50
$9.00 value for $6.75
$7.50 value for $2.00
$15.00 value for $2.25
$22.50 value for $9.00
$25.00 value for $12.50
$35.00 Bed Set $10.00

Dress Trimmings

Cotton Appliques, colors red, tan and white, black and white and tan and white, reduced from $1.25 to...... **98c**

Colored Medallions, in tan and white, blue and white and red; reduced from $1.50 to.............. **$1.00**

90c Colored Appliques for............75c
$1.35 Colored Appliques for..........75c
$1.35 Appliques, Persian shades.....$1.10
$1.10 White Cotton Applique.........$1.00
$1.75 Cream Applique for...........$1.25
$1.75 Heavy Patterns for...........$1.25

65c White Etamine Bands, tan embroidery, 2½ inches wide, for.................... **45c**

Colored Emb. on Linens

Edges, 2 inches wide, in black and white, navy and white, blue and white and red and white; $2.00 values, reduced to.................... **75c**

4½-inch Bands, black and white, navy and white, red and white and light blue and white, reduced from $4.00 to.................... **$1.50**

Bands, 10 inches wide, black and white, navy and white, red and white and light blue and white; reduced from $6.75 to.................... **$2.40**

Garnitures

Fancy Garnitures of lace and braids; white and colored; also regular braid Garnitures; worth regularly $37.50, $32.50 and $30.00; reduced for tomorrow's sale to, each.................. **$20.00**

Our Popular Undermuslins for Women

Show extraordinary values both in quality of material and superiority of make.

The inexpensive will be on display Friday.

Drawers 25c and 85c

Cambric, full umbrella flounce, hemstitched........ **25c**

Nainsook, umbrella flounce with Valenciennes lace and insertions.................. **85c**

Extra size Drawers for stout figures, muslin, three cluster tucks.................... **25c**

Corset Covers 75c and 85c

Nainsook, full ruffled front; ruffles finished with Valenciennes lace.............. **75c**

Nainsook, full French style, with Torchon lace and two insertions.............. **85c**

Extra size cambric tight fitting Cover, high neck, with embroidery edge.................. **25c**

Knee Skirts 50c and 85c

Cambric, with torchon lace and insertion.......... **50c**

Cambric, lawn ruffle, wide torchon lace and insertion. **85c**

Night Gowns 50c and 75c

Muslin, yoke of hemstitching and tucks; hemstitched ruffles.................. **50c**

Cambric slipover; round yoke of hemstitched tucks and ruffles.............. **75c**

Extra size Gowns, for large figures; muslin with cambric yoke of pin tucks and embroidery ruffles on neck and sleeves........ **$1.00**

White Petticoats $1.25 and $2.25

Cambric, with fan tucked flounce of torchon lace and insertion.............. **$1.25**

Cambric, tucked umbrella flounce, with Point de Paris lace and insertion.......... **$2.25**

Extra size Petticoats for large figures; muslin; tucked flounce with hemstitched hem.................. **$1.00**

Spring Petticoats

(Second Floor.)

Various styles in all materials popular for Spring Petticoats:

Gingham Petticoats

Gray, and white stripe Seersucker Petticoats, umbrella flounce with foot ruffle............ **50c**

Striped Seersucker Petticoats, good quality, made with Spanish flounce............ **75c**

Pink, blue and gray fancy stripe Petticoats; full umbrella flounce, some tucked, others strapped....... **$1.00**

Black and white striped percale Petticoats, tucked umbrella flounce, with tucked foot ruffle............ **$1.25**

Fancy Imported Petticoats, in wash fabrics, hand-scalloped, and others handsomely embroidered; $3.75 to...... **$12.75**

Sateen Petticoats

Black mercerized sateen Petticoats, full umbrella flounce, with accordion pleated ruffle................ **$1.00**

Highly mercerized sateen Petticoats, light weight, full umbrella flounce, strapped with tucked ruffle.......... **$1.50**

Moreen Petticoats

Black silk moreen Petticoats; deep umbrella flounce; strapped, with tucked ruffle................ **$3.00**

Taffeta Petticoats

Two good styles in black taffeta Petticoats, with underlay; accordion plaited flounce, with ruche; another with tucked foot ruffle............ **$5.00**

WANT RUMORS OF BOODLE INVESTIGATED

West End Business Men Apprehensive of Defeat of Repeal of Breeders' Law.

The West End Business Men's Association has telegraphed Gov. Folk, Lieut.-Gov. McKinley and Speaker Hill of the House of Representatives, asking that immediate investigation be made of reports current in St. Louis that "boodle" is being used or is about to be used to defeat the repeal of the breeders' law.

The request is made in the form of a resolution which was adopted by the association at a meeting Wednesday night, which requests that both branches of the State Assembly appoint committees to investigate the rumors.

Thomas S. McPheeters addressed the meeting and thanked the members for their interest in the repeal bill, as indicated by their strong condemnation of the practices permitted under the bill at a recent meeting. Mr. McPheeters also spoke at some length urging support for the $9,000,000 city bond issue.

A committee was appointed to confer with the health department regarding the condemnation of the tunnel used by the Terminal company for passenger trains. The committee will ask that if the abandonment of the tunnel is not practical the light and air facilities be increased, and will ask the health department to undertake this work.

Appointed M. P. Superintendent.

George W. Smith has been appointed superintendent of machinery, in charge of motive power, machinery and car equipment, of the Missouri Pacific railroad. His office will be in St. Louis. The position of superintendent of locomotives and cars is abolished. J. W. Luttrell, who held the latter position, resigned before this change became effective.

Sleeplessness

Read my offer—a full dollar's worth of my Remedy free to try—without deposit or risk, or promise to pay.

Sleeplessness, fretfulness, restlessness, nervousness, irritability—all are the outward signs of inward nerve disturbance. The fault is not with the nerves which give you warning—not with the nerves which enable you to feel, to walk, to talk, to think, to see. But the INSIDE nerves, the automatic power nerves—these are the nerves that work wears out and worry breaks down.

I have not room here to explain how these tender, tiny nerves control and operate the stomach, the heart, the kidneys, the liver. How excesses and strains and overindulgence destroy their delicate fibers. How, through a bond of sympathy, weakness in one center is conveyed to each of the other centers. How this same bond of sympathy produces the outward signs of nervousness which should warn us of the trouble within. I have not room to explain how these nerves may be reached and strengthened and vitalized and made well by a remedy I spent thirty years in perfecting—now known by druggists everywhere as Dr. Shoop's Restorative. I have not room to explain how this remedy by removing the cause puts a certain end to all forms of nervousness, inward and outward, including fretfulness, restlessness, sleeplessness, irritability. All of these things are fully explained in the book I will send you when you write.

In more than a million homes my remedy is known and relied upon. Yet you may not have heard of it. So I make this offer to you, a stranger, that every possible excuse for doubt may be removed. Send no money—make no promise—take no risk. Simply write and ask. If you have never tried my remedy, I will send you an order on your druggist for a full dollar bottle—not a sample, but the regular standard bottle he keeps constantly on his shelves. The druggist will require no conditions. He will accept my order as cheerfully as though your dollar lay before him. He will send the bill to me.

Will you accept this opportunity to learn at MY EXPENSE ABSOLUTELY how to be rid forever of all forms of nervousness and insomnia—to be rid not only of the trouble, but of the very cause which produced it. Write today.

For a free order for a full dollar bottle you must address Dr. Shoop, Box K 688, Racine, Wis. State which book you want.	Book 1 on Dyspepsia Book 2 on the Heart. Book 3 on the Kidneys. Book 4 for Women. Book 5 for Men. Book 6 on Rheumatism.

Mild cases are often cured by a single bottle. For sale at 40,000 drug stores.

Dr. Shoop's Restorative

HALLET & DAVIS

(ESTABLISHED 1839.)

KIMBALL

(ESTABLISHED 1857.)

The Pianos manufactured by these well-known firms are in use all over the world.

There have been over 54,000 Hallet & Davis Pianos and over 129,000 Kimball Pianos made. This fact alone testifies to their great popularity.

The new 1905 styles are extra fine in every particular, and contain patented improvements that place them far in advance of all other makes.

We are the St. Louis representatives, and cordially invite intending purchasers to call and see them.

Old instruments will be taken in part payment at liberal valuation and the balance may be paid in small weekly or monthly installments.

Kieselhorst Piano Co.

(ESTABLISHED 1879.)

914 OLIVE STREET.

LOOK OUT

For the gem offered in "Ready-to-wear" goods by the merchants in every Friday's POST-DISPATCH.

MUST WIN OVER POWER MEN OR STRIKE IS LOST

Interborough Employes Stake Everything on Their Ability to Induce Engineers and Firemen to Quit Their Positions.

SYMPATHY IS NOT WITH THE STRIKERS.

Men Who Now Need It, Have Alienated the Public's Friendship by Their Past Conduct—Cars Again Running on All Lines.

By Leased Wire From the New York Bureau of the Post-Dispatch.

NEW YORK, March 9.—The striking motormen and conductors on the subway and elevated lines are staking their all on a last play, the failure of which means the loss of the present strike. They hope to get the firemen and engineers of the company's power houses to go out in sympathy, and thus tie up all the systems in the city.

So far they have been unable to accomplish this result, and the chances of success are not very bright. The Interborough has practically isolated the engineers and firemen, and it will require strategy on the part of the strikers to get to them, as the power house men are now eating and sleeping in their places of employment, and heavy patrols of police keep all strikers away from the plants.

Overtime Is Being Paid.

The power men are being paid overtime and show no inclination to strike.

This morning trains are being run on all lines of both systems with something like proper schedule. The entire service is a long way from being restored, but there has been very marked improvement on all the lines. It may be several days before old-time conditions prevail.

Strikers have seldom received as little public sympathy as those who quit their jobs this week. Not that anyone seriously doubts the ability of the road to pay more wages, but the men who have been operating the trains alienated the public's friendship long ago by boorish conduct in the discharge of their duties that has been absolutely amazing. There seems a feeling of satisfaction throughout the city, in circles ordinarily sympathetic, that these men dug their own graves and fell into them.

Labor Is Indifferent.

Organized labor naturally has sympathy for the union men, but, as organizations, they are not becoming excited, for the reason that the strikers made it a local row with their employers and ignored their own national officers.

Efforts to enlist the surface-car men have also failed. These men have no organizations.

Toughs have committed many depredations, such as cutting the bell cords, disarranging the air brakes and "roughhousing" the green gatemen on the trains. Fights of this character were hourly occurrences all day yesterday, but no great damage was done to travelers or trains.

Last night and this morning the public suffered very much in getting from and to business. Of the 1,100,000 who usually ride on the "L" and subway not more than 500,000 risked the possible dangers of accidents and delays. As a result people rode in on top of and about the surface cars. Tuesday 2,300,000 fares were collected on the surface cars. That is equal almost to three rides in the day for every human being in St. Louis.

Belcher Springs Bath House, Fourth and Lucas av. Open day and night.

COURT TO COUNT BALLOTS.

J. R. McCarthy Secures Writ in Twenty-Third Ward Contest.

Judge Reynolds of Circuit Court has granted a writ of certiorari to John R. McCarthy, returnable next Monday, directing the Board of Election Commissioners and the judges and clerks at the polling places at 3323 Manchester avenue and 1205 South Compton avenue to produce ballot boxes, keys and poll books for review in court.

McCarthy was defeated at Saturday's primary by Emmet T. Bentley for the Democratic nomination for member of the House of Delegates from the Twenty-third ward. McCarthy alleges that the judges and clerks failed to mark and count the ballots according to law or to count all the ballots cast for him. He also charges the judges and clerks permitted fraudulent ballots to be placed in the boxes and counted for Bentley.

The defendants named in the writ are Andrew C. Maroney, Thomas K. Skinker and Benjamin Schnurmacher, members of the Board of Election Commissioners; Sylvester P. Sullivan and Charles E. Riley, judges of election at 3323 Manchester avenue; William T. Nolan, clerk; Thomas F. Kiernan and Joseph Garne, judge at 1205 South Compton avenue, and James F. McCormack, clerk.

SEVEN YAQUIS ARE EXECUTED.

Mexican Government Condemns the Indian Murderers.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

CHICAGO, March 9.—Seven of the Yaqui Indians who murdered John Kenneth MacKenzie and Dr. Robert Coy of Chicago, two other Americans and one Mexican driver on a lonely road in the interior of Mexico, Jan. 18, have been captured, condemned and shot.

Some of the clothing worn by Mr. MacKenzie and a ring worn by Dr. Coy were found in possession of the Indians.

Spurred by complaint from the United States government, the Mexican government sent troops after the Yaquis, killed 20 and captured 10. W. C. Potter, partner of MacKenzie, sent the news here.

"Boro-Formalin" (Eimer & Amend) used as an antiseptic, cleansing mouth and toothwash, is unsurpassed.

FRIDAY REMNANT DAY

Nugent's

Infants' Knit Wrappers

These great bargains Friday in our Underwear Department, on main floor.

Odd lot of Infants' Cotton Wrappers, silk trimmed and with pearl buttons; were 25c; Friday....15c

Small lot of Infants' Flat Worsted Wrappers. The regular 60-cent ones; Friday price.........25c

Infants' Fine Merino Wrappers, with double shell silk edge and pearl buttons; goods that sell regularly at 65c to 75c each, according to size; Friday........35c

Kid Gloves

Four well-known makes at less than half regular prices!

TREFOUSSE PERRIN VALLIERE CROWN

All new Gloves, in the most popular colors, including plenty of black suedes. An immense quantity, so that you are certain to find just the right style, color and a perfect fit. Remember these gloves are actually worth all the way from $1.50 to $2.25 a pair. Your choice Friday for

87c

Silk Belts

An odd lot of Moire Silk Belts, in black, blue and brown, that were 25c and 35c each. Friday we've decided to close them out at only........... **15c**

Stationery

Nugent's "Watered Silk" Writing Paper, in neat boxes containing 24 sheets and 24 square flap envelopes. Regular price is 35c, but some of the boxes are soiled, so they go Friday at **19c**

A Remnant Harvest!

Our phenomenal sales of Dress Goods and Silks have literally swamped us with remnants! Thousands of them! Every popular weave! Every wanted shade and color! Bargains in abundance for all who come Friday!

Black and Colored Silk Remnants	Black Dress Goods Remnants	Colored Dress Goods Remnants
$1.50 and $1.75 Silk Remnants at **90c Each**	$1.25 and $1.50 Black Goods Remnants at **75c Each**	$1.50 and $1.75 Dress Goods Remnants at **95c Each**
$2.00, $2.50 and $3.00 Remnants at **$1.45 Each**	$2.50 and $3.50 Black Goods Remnants at **$1.65 Each**	$3.00 and $4.00 Dress Goods Remnants at **$1.75 Each**
$3.50, $5.00 and $6.00 Remnants at **$2.35 Each**	$4.00 and $5.00 Black Goods Remnants at **$2.75 Each**	$5.00 and $6.00 Dress Goods Remnants at **$2.85 Each**
$6.50, $8.00 and $10.00 Remnants at **$4.75 Each**	$6.00 to $8.00 Black Goods Remnants at **$4.50 Each**	$7.00 and $8.00 Dress Goods Remnants at **$4.95 Each**

Corsets

Small lot of straight front, long waist, dip-hip Corsets of light weight batiste, with lace and ribbon at top. Our regular 75c corsets, Friday, to close...... **50c**

Umbrellas

About 300 Women's and Men's 26 and 28 inch Umbrellas, of silk and linen, with paragon frames and handles of natural wood, horn, pearl and silver; worth $1.50, Friday price..... **$1**

Clothing==Odd Lots, Etc.

Astonishing buying chances Friday on our Third Floor!

BOYS' LEGGINS—Regular 50c "Rough Rider" Canvas Leggins; out they go at....10c

KNEE PANTS—Odds and ends and broken sizes, in our regular 50c and 75c pants, Friday 29c

BOYS' SUITS—Knee Pants Suits of wool cheviots and cassimeres, in mixtures or plain blue; odds and ends of $3.00 suits; your choice for....................$1.69

YOUTHS' SUITS—Fancy mixed and plain black all wool cheviots—single and double breasted—ages 14 to 20 years; odds and ends of our $7.50 suits; choice Friday at $5.00

MEN'S SUITS—Of fancy mixtures and plain blue serges; all that are left of our regular $10.00 suits; take your pick Friday for $7.50

MEN'S CRAVENETTE COATS—Of fine covert and worsted cravenettes, guaranteed rainproof; made extra long and with the new patent pockets; an ideal garment for spring; these are made to sell for $15.00 and $18.00, but we bought them below regular prices and can therefore afford to sell them at $9.75

Bargains in Women's Apparel

Too many of this style—too few of that one. Either condition means a cut price and money saved for you!

CLOTH SUITS in mixtures and cheviots—coats nicely trimmed. Worth $16.50. Friday $8.95

Nobby Suits in pretty mixtures—new collarless style—coats trimmed with taffeta and braid. Worth $20. Friday $13.95

New Suits of Panama cloth—coat shirred and skirt has deep shirred flounces $25.00

NEW SKIRTS—Mixtures and plain cheviots — pleated bottoms — all shades. Special price $2.50

Walking Skirts of new Scotch mixtures in various colorings—pleated. Price $3.95

New brilliantine Skirts in black, blue, brown, tan and gray, made with 26 pleats and full bottom. Price..$5.00

New Shepherd plaid Skirts in latest style, pleated all around. Friday, special at $7.95

WAISTS of white India linon, in 5 different styles—some tucked and pleated—some with lace and embroidery. Were $2.00. Friday $1.00

New French lawn Waists, with broad pleats and edged with narrow rows of fagotting. Price............$1.50

China Silk Waists in new large pleat effect. Collar and cuffs with narrow Val. lace; solid colors, black and white. Price $2.50

NEW RAIN COATS of herringbone coverts, in collarless effect, with pleated back. Price $8.95

Stylish Rain Coats in new mixtures, with shirred full sleeves and pleated backs. Worth $15.00. Our Friday price $11.50

Other Rain Coats at from $6.00 to $37.50 each.

GIRLS COATS of coverts and cheviots in all colors, with new box back; full sleeves, with emblem; ages 6 to 14 years. Price $3.95

Misses' new Coats of covert mixtures—double-breasted, with new pleated back $6.75

GIRLS' SUITS—New regulation Suits in red, blue or brown, with pleated skirts, neatly trimmed, and with sleeve emblems. Price $5.95

Other styles at $7.50 and $10.95 each.

CHILDREN'S WASH DRESSES—A stock that is absolutely complete—not a desirable style missing! Plain and fancy ginghams, chambrays, linens, etc. All ages from 1 to 14 years. Prices range all the way from ....55c to $15.00

Wash Goods Remnants

Now is the busy season in this department, and remnants accumulate wonderfully fast. We've a splendid collection for tomorrow, comprising just the colors and weaves most in demand, which we've marked at these absurdly low prices:

Remnants of Ginghams, Calicoes, Lawns, Batistes, Suitings, Madras, etc.; worth 6¼c to 15c a yard; choice Friday at, per yard.......5c

Remnants of Linen Chambrays, Knickerbocker Effects, Melange Tweeds, Dress Ginghams, Percales, Voiles, Mohair Luster, Mercerized Taffetas, etc.; worth 12½c to 25c a yard; Friday, per yard 9c

Remnants of Dress Percales, Madras, Lawns, Voiles, Sateens, Mercerized Taffetas, etc.; worth 10c to 20c a yard; Friday, per yard..........6c

Remnants of Colored Linens, Embroidered Linens, Suitings, Oxfords, Waistings, Silk Mulls, Mousseline de Soie, Percales, Madras, etc.; goods worth 20c to 50c a yard; choice Friday, per yard..............12½c

White Goods

Remnants of 6¼-cent Checked Nainsooks, in various patterns, at, per yard 2½c

Remnants of 10-cent Checked and Plaid Lawns, per yard...........5c

Small lot of Striped Madras remnants for boys' waists, 12½-cent quality, at..........................7½c

25-cent quality 36-inch Imported Soft Finish Nainsook at only.......12½c

Remnants of 36-inch 15-cent English Longcloth at, per yard..........10c

Remnants of 25-cent White Dotted Swisses, with large or small dots, per yard......................15c

Remnants of 35-cent Mercerized Madras and Suitings, per yard......18c

36-inch All Linen Cambric for waists and suits, worth 35 cents a yard; Friday, a three-yard waist pattern for 98c

Laces, Neckwear, Etc.

Odds and Ends and Remnants of Dainty Goods at Alluring Friday Prices!

Odd lot of Ladies' pretty Top Collars, that were 10c and 12½c each, while they last Friday, each.... **1c**

Remnants of Neck Ruchings, in lengths just long enough for the neck; worth 10c; Friday, each.......................... **5c**

About 300 dozen Top Collars, Collar and Cuff Sets, Venise Stock Collars and odds and ends in neck pieces; some worth 25c and 50c; your choice for.............. **10c**

French Valenciennes Lace Edges and Insertions; a 12-yard piece, worth 50c, for only......... **35c**

French Valenciennes Lace Edges, a 12-yard length, worth 25c, for.......................... **15c**

Cambric Embroideries, that are just a trifle imperfect—otherwise they'd be worth 15c a yard; a splendid Friday bargain, at per yard.......................... **9c**

Hosiery

A Friday clean-up! Good Hosiery at cut prices!

Small lot Men's 10c brown mixed Cotton Socks, Friday.......5c

Lot of Boys' 19c fast black Ribbed Cotton Hose, Friday 12½c

Odd lot Women's 35c fast black Cotton Hose, with double soles, Friday 15c

Men's 35c imported fast black Cotton Half Hose, Friday..15c

Small lot of Women's fast black imported Cotton Hose, with maco feet; our regular 25c quality; Friday 17c

Children's 50c genuine French Cotton Hose, Friday......25c

Undermuslins, Etc.

Little odd lots that you'll be glad to secure at these big price concessions.

Children's Muslin Drawers, with cluster of tucks—all sizes Friday at 10c

Childrens 35c Flannelette Skirts—choice of all sizes Friday, at 12c

Children's 50c white Cambric Skirts, trimmed with torchon lace insertion. A small lot Friday at 35c

Odd lot of women's 25c and 35c Corset Covers—lace trimmed. All are soiled and sizes broken. Your choice for.....12c

Bedding

SPREADS—Lot of real Marseilles White Spreads, in choice patterns, large double bed size; Friday, each $1.65

PILLOWS—An odd lot of large size extra fine Pillows, filled with good clean odorless duck feathers; Friday, per pair...........................$2.19

MATTRESSES—Full double size Cotton Combination Mattresses, with cotton on both sides and at edges and closely tufted; our price has been $3.45 each; a Friday special at $2.79

Ribbons

1c a yard for half-inch Ribbons, worth 5c. These are mostly stripes.

3c a yard for 1 and 1½-inch best satin taffeta Ribbons, in black only. Regular price 10c yard.

7c a yard for 20-cent French corded edge Ribbons, 3½ inches wide, in cardinal, light blue, Nile, turquoise, pink and black.

12c a yard for 25-cent 3½-inch plain pure silk taffeta Ribbons, in white, some colors and black.

15c a yard for a small lot of 4-inch plaid Ribbons that have been selling at 35c a yard.

25c a yard for regular 50c Roman stripe Ribbons. These are 5 inches wide and make handsome ties and girdles.

Draperies

Small lots of seasonable goods at hurry-up, clear-them-away prices Friday. Third floor.

CURTAIN SWISS—large and small coin spots. Regular 10c quality, at, per yard 8c

REPS—50-inch fancy brocaded Reps, for curtains and furniture covering, in lengths up to 3 yards each. Worth regularly 75c a yard—Friday, per yard 30c

INITIAL DOOR PANELS, in corded designs, with wreath and initials, worth 48c, but being slightly soiled, we offer them Friday at 25c

ROPE PORTIERES of fancy twisted cords, worth $1.50 each—an odd lot Friday at 98c

TAPESTRY PORTIERES with pretty applique and tapestry borders. Worth up to $4.50 each. Your choice Friday for $1.75

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Art Wares and China Half Price and Less

There are fancy vases in Vienna, Venetian, English, French and Austrian Ware; also Fancy Plates, Steins, Salad Bowls and other odd pieces that have been arranged on separate tables for this week's sale at

10c, 25c, 50c, 75c, $1, $2, $3 and $5

Simmons Hardware Co

Our Modern Practical Demonstrations

In the Housefurnishing Dept. (second floor) have been visited during the past two weeks by thousands of pleased housekeepers. The demonstrations will continue all this week, and we extend a cordial invitation to everyone to come and see them, and also have a cup of refreshing India Tea, which we serve free of charge in our specially constructed tea room.

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We believe the weather Friday will be fair; cooler

Telephone Order Department, Bell, Main 1909 or Main 3400; Kinloch B 533.

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EX-GOV. TAYLOR ALWAYS HAS "GUN"

Former Executive of Kentucky Repeats His Reasons for Remaining in Indianapolis.

INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., March 8.—Former Governor Taylor of Kentucky continues to linger in Indianapolis. A glance at his desk revealed a sinister reminder of the conditions attending his residence in Indiana. A drawer was open, and within easy reach was a big revolver.

"I have never regretted coming here," he said. "To have remained in Kentucky would have been suicidal under conditions existing there.

"Mind you, I would not fear a fair trial. I would not be afraid to go back now for trial before men free from political prejudice. But that would be impossible. The case is in politics.

"My life has been one of extremes," said Taylor gravely. "I had the greatest possible success. Then came this affair and I got the other extreme."

Taylor holds that some irresponsible crank killed Goebel.

Dr Price's
CREAM
BAKING
POWDER

Improves the flavor and adds to the healthfulness of the food.

CURE FOR $3.

$3 Rate Extended Until March 15.

Think of What This Offer Means—The Hearing Restored for $3.00; Catarrh Cured for $3.00; Asthma, Kidney, Liver, Stomach Trouble, Nervous Diseases, Blood Poison or Lung Diseases Banished for $3.00

The offer of treatment for $3.00 is made at a great sacrifice. Consequently the time is limited. To continue so low a rate indefinitely would be impossible. Professional services are not considered, and it does not cover the actual cost of medicines at retail. It is a rare opportunity for all who suffer from any chronic disease to be permanently restored to health. It is merely nominal, and yet it covers a whole month. If this offer was made by a specialist unknown to you and simply meant professional services, you could probably well afford to cast it aside, but when you realize that it is the offer of Dr. Powell, whose success in the cure of chronic disease is beyond question, and includes, besides his skilled and experienced treatment, all medicines for both local and constitutional use, compounded in his own laboratory, you will see at once that you cannot afford to let it pass. Remember, you are offered not merely treatment for $3.00, but medicines, examinations and professional attention for 30 days. If your case is incurable you will be told so free of charge. Dr. Powell's new treatment is curing hundreds of cases pronounced incurable by other physicians. Every case accepted under a positive guarantee to cure. If you are unable to call at the office write Dr. Powell describing your symptoms and he will forward you literature telling you how you can be cured at your home.

DEAFNESS AND HEAD NOISES.
With the Torture of Incessant Buzzing and Bell-Ringing in the Ears.

Mr. John Pallischultz of 2235 Plover avenue, St. Louis, says: "My deafness started about seven years ago. It gradually grew worse, and finally got so bad that I could not hear the alarm of my clock. I could not hear people talk without great difficulty. The noises in my head almost drove me frantic. Strange as it may seem, Dr. Powell's Electro-Vapor Treatment has completely restored my hearing in one month. The noises are gone, and I can now hear my clock tick across the room."

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A SKIN OF BEAUTY IS A JOY FOREVER.

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PURIFIES AS WELL AS Beautifies the Skin. No other cosmetic will do it.

Removes Tan, Pimples, Freckles, Moth Patches, Rash, and Skin diseases, and every blemish on beauty, and defies detection. It has stood the test of 56 years, and is so harmless we taste it to be sure it is properly made. Accept no counterfeit of similar name. Dr. L. A. Sayre said to a lady of the haut-ton (a patient): "As you ladies will use them, I recommend 'Gouraud's Cream' as the least harmful of all the skin preparations." For sale by all Druggists and Fancy Goods Dealers in the U. S., Canadas, and Europe.
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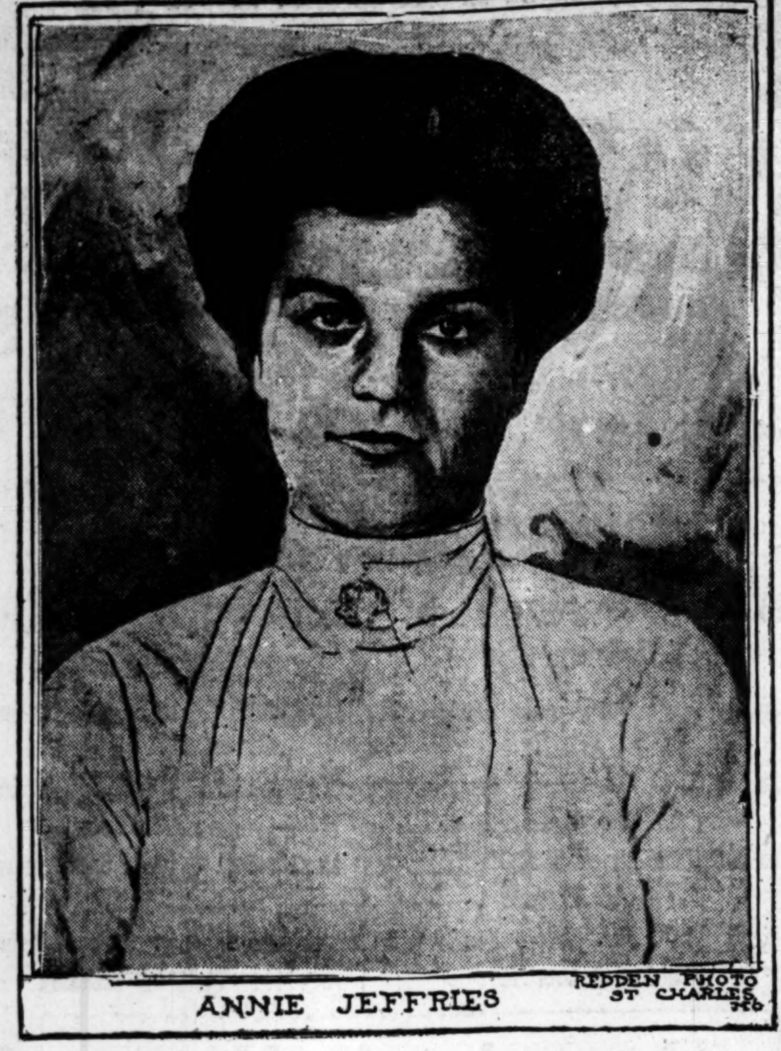
BARGAIN CANDY DAY
Meadow Gold Butter Taffy Tomorrow, Pound, 10c, at The May Co.

St. Louis has more Post-Dispatch readers every day than it has homes. "First in Everything."

Sister of Suspect in St. Charles Murder Case Whose Story His Wife Substantiates



ANNIE JEFFRIES

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WIFE'S STORY BAD FOR WUSSLER MURDER SUSPECT

Mrs. William Jeffries Identifies Articles Found Near Scene of Shooting of St. Charles Dairyman as Husband's.

Mrs. Nellie Jeffries, wife of William Jeffries, who is held at Clayton as a suspect in the murder of William Wussler, the St. Charles, Mo., dairyman, Friday night, says the overalls found on the Wussler premises were in possession of her husband a few hours previous to the shooting of Wussler.

She also identified the revolver found on the route by which the murderers left the Wussler premises, as one her husband's companion had shown her Friday afternoon.

A cartridge belt found near the Wussler residence, she says, was in possession of her husband.

Mrs. Jeffries was arrested at the home of her father, Frank Neetles, in St. Clair, Mo., Wednesday afternoon and is held at St. Charles as a witness. On the way from St. Louis to St. Charles and after being placed in the jail there, Mrs. Jeffries told of a trip to St. Charles with her husband and others last Friday and their return after the attack on Wussler was known.

She says that Thursday she and her husband, another man and Annie Jeffries left her home to go to Black Walnut, near St. Charles, where the men said they had work. They boarded a St. Charles car at Wellston Friday morning and after reaching St. Charles spent the afternoon in the M., K. & T. depot on the river bank.

She says that while she and Annie Jeffries were there her husband and the other man went up to the railroad and came back about dark, saying they had been in a game of craps with some negroes.

She upbraided them for not going on to their new home and asked that they show her some of the money they said they had. They failed to show any at that time, except a little to buy some lunch, but left after drinking some whisky, saying they would be back about 9 o'clock with some money, "or would get some one."

At 9:30, she says, the men came back and the second man, whose name is suppressed by the St. Charles County authorities, appeared to be intoxicated.

Men Advised Escape.

"I was tired, hungry and scared," she says, "and I wanted to go back home. So when a policeman told us to keep quiet as a murder had been committed and we might be arrested, I was willing to leave. The men said we had better get out.

"We got on a St. Louis car, but were put off at Paddenville, the first station, because we had no money. While we were sleeping in the waiting room there, a deputy sheriff arrested us, but after talking to us for some time let us go.

"Then we walked eight or nine miles toward St. Louis, sold some clothes, and got on a car for Wellston.

"From Wellston we went by street car to Valley Park, where we were arrested again.

"The officer held us only a little while, and then one of the men sold his coat and vest and bought tickets for Annie and I to Pacific. The men beat their way on the same train and there we separated. I went home and have not seen any of the men since."

Mrs. Jeffries said that her husband worked on the bridge in St. Charles and they lived there several months. She is about 25 years of age, fairly good looking and says she and Jeffries were married two years ago last October and have one child.

Her story corroborates that of Annie Jeffries except in minor details. She insists that she did not see either of the men between 6 and 9 o'clock Friday night, between which hours Wussler was shot.

SENATE ASPIRANTS STILL DEADLOCKED

Regular Daily Joint Ballot by Missouri Lawmakers Results in Usual Failure to Elect.

Niedringhaus	57
Cockrell	76
Kerens	15
Bartholdt	5
McKinley	5
Warner	2
Dyer	1
Lyons	1

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

JEFFERSON CITY, Mo., March 9.—There were no further breaks in the senatorial vote today. Walmsley of Kansas City gave his ballot to Representative Leslie J. Lyons of Jackson County. The vote resulted as follows: Niedringhaus, 57; Cockrell, 76; Kerens, 15; Bartholdt, 5; McKinley, 5; Warner, 2; Dyer, 1; Lyons, 1.

Fines Follow Dice Game Row.

James H. Gallagher of 1110 Monroe street, and Oscar Robinson, were arraigned in the Second district police court Thursday morning, and each fined $5 and costs on the charge of disturbing the peace on the street early last Saturday morning after a quarrel in a saloon at Broadway and Warren street. Some time after midnight the two men engaged in a dice game for the drinks, they say, and Gallagher alleges Robinson became angry because he lost the games and dared Gallagher out into the street.

The testimony of three witnesses showed that Gallagher went out into the street after a few minutes and that Robinson chased him.

Gallagher ran into a doorway and turned and struck Robinson, but the latter was not found to have any bruises on being taken to the city dispensary.

FIRE STOPS SONGS OF A MERRY PARTY

Unexplained Blaze in Home of J. P. Newell—Sick Daughter Cared for by Guests.

Fire in the home of Councilman James P. Newell, 3925 Castleman avenue, at 10 o'clock Wednesday night, started under a bed on the second floor while a merry party of young persons were enjoying themselves in the parlor and while Miss Florence Newell, who was ill, was reclining on a couch.

In the party in the parlor were James Newell, Jr., Ambrose Reilly, Miss Nellie Hartman of Warrensburg, Mo., and Mrs. A. Orthwein.

While the guests were singing, smoke oozed down the staircase. Newell and Reilly ran up stairs to extinguish the blaze while the ladies cared for Miss Newell.

A mattress was found to have caught fire from a quantity of excelsior under a bed. James Newell, Jr., burned his hands in quenching the blaze.

The occupants of the house can not understand how the excelsior came there. They think it may have been placed there by an intruder. Walter F. Burke of 3931 Castleman avenue aided in extinguishing the flames. The damage amounted to probably $50. Councilman Newell is at Hot Springs, Ark.

CHILD OF 7 TRIES SUICIDE.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

DES MOINES, Io., March 9.—Rather than return to the Iowa Children's Home, of which she was an inmate, Josey Corey, 7 years old, attempted suicide by drinking wood alcohol.

The girl had been bright and amiable, but suddenly seemed to become unmanageable. Threatened with a return to the institution from which she was taken, she drank the poison. There is small chance for her recovery.

ENLISTS TO PREVENT SUICIDE

Grandson of Former New York Merchant Prince to Be Private in Army.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

LALT LAKE, Utah, March 9.—Arthur Woodruff Jaffray, grandson of the late E. S. Jaffray, founder of the great New York dry goods house that bore his name, applied for enlistment as a private in the Twenty-ninth United States infantry at Fort Douglas today.

'Anything is better than suicide, Jaffray remarked today, "besides, by strict attention to duty I hope to win an officer's commission in five years."

When young Mr. Jaffray went to England he served as an officer in the Fourth Royal Warwichshire regiment. He studied mining engineering in Germany. Returning to New York, he figured largely among the younger men about town.

In August, 1899, Mr. Jaffray married Miss Laura D. Shunter of Brooklyn. His wife was a popular actress. Their marriage was kept secret for two months and did not prove happy, for Mrs. Jaffray divorced him.

Mr. Jaffray has worked in the stock yards as a laborer, in mines at Bingham, this state, and as a longshoreman, so soldiering will not be severe on him.

if the Czar of Russia could restore tranquillity, and prevent internal dissensions as gently, easily and effectively as Heptol Splits, he wouldn't have so much trouble getting life insurance.
The Morrison Heptol Co.

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Headquarters for all the latest Pyrography novelties on Third Floor
The May Co.
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"Appearance," said Beau Brummel, "is the Father of Prosperity."

¶ An extra pair of Trousers will do a lot to keep up appearances until you put on the new Spring Suit---$4 and $5 values now $3.50.

¶ An Overcoat will cover a multitude of sins. Top Coats and Regular Length Overcoats, $10 to $35.

Broadway and Pine Street — B K & Co — ST. LOUIS MO.

New York Store, Broadway at 32nd Street—Factory, Cooper Square

$7.50 Plaited Walking Skirts, $3.98
Made of fine Brilliantine, plaited all around. Black, blue and brown.

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$15 Taffeta Shirt-Waist Suits $10.00
Plaited Waist and Skirt. Colors: Black, blue and brown.

AN ADVANCE SALE OF NEW EXCLUSIVE SPRING STYLES

Ladies' Tailor-Made Walking Suits

A wide assortment of new Spring Styles to select from—Garments that rival the skill of the most exclusive tailors with prices that insure a POSITIVE SAVING OF ONE-THIRD.

Hundreds of styles to select from, in all the most attractive NEW BLOUSE MODEL and JAUNTY WALKING COAT SUIT, in COVERT, PANAMA, CHEVIOT and BROADCLOTH. Black, blue, brown and fancy mixtures; taffeta lined, collarless effects. Some trimmed with a touch of taffeta and braid on cuffs and collar. NEW SKIRTS. Side plaited, kilted box plaited. Round lengths.

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A SAVING OF $5 TO $15 ON EACH SUIT.

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THESE ARE EXAMPLES OF OUR GOOD OFFERS

	Worth.	Price.
China Cabinets	$ 66.00	$35.00
Mahogany Sideboard	100.00	75.00
Buffet	15.00	9.75
Oak Sideboard	22.00	12.50
Oak Dresser	30.00	20.00
Mahogany Flag Rocker	18.00	7.50
Weathered Flag Settee	20.00	10.00
Reed Armchair	12.00	6.00
China Cabinet	90.00	65.00
Hall Rack	15.00	9.75
Mahogany Cabinet	70.00	45.00
Sideboard	110.00	75.00
Chamber Suit	35.00	25.00
Chamber Suit	75.00	37.50
Dresser and Chiffonier	150.00	110.00
Leather Rocker	20.00	13.50
Mahogany Chair	20.00	10.00
Fine Rocker	20.00	11.00
Chiffonier	25.00	12.50
Chiffonier	11.00	7.00
Mahogany Rocker	17.50	10.00
Reed Rocker	12.00	6.00
Arm Chair	18.00	9.00
China Cabinet	85.00	60.00
China Cabinet	90.00	65.00

Dresser
Maple or
Mahogany,
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Chiffonier
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Was $40.00
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SEE BROADWAY AND LOCUST WINDOWS

$1.00 Corsets, 79c

THE regular $1.00 Corset, H. & H., made of nice quality sateen; straight front; short hips; neatly bound with satin ribbon; suitable for the slender and medium figure; white and drab; sizes 18 to 26, Friday.......79c

35c Tyrol Silk, 25c

A SPLENDID wash fabric in three sizes of shepherd checks; black and white; resembles silk; very highly mercerized; guaranteed to launder; 35c quality—on main floor—Friday, per yard.........25c

50c Albatross, 39c Yd.

ALL-WOOL Albatross, in brown, navy blue, light blue, pink, red, Nile green, tan, gray, lavender, sapphire blue, reseda green, cream and black; 38 inches wide; standard 50c fabric; per yard................39c

98c Black Cheviot, 59c

PURE Wool Black Cheviot; extra heavy; can be made without lining; warranted fast black; sponged and shrunk; 50 inches wide; 98c grade; on sale Friday, on main floor; per yard................59c

Mousseline

SILK Warp Mousseline in light blue, navy, brown, Nile, tan, pink, red, lavender, gray, yellow, cream and black; pure silk warp; 20c grade; Friday—on main floor—while the lot lasts, per yard...............12½c

Couch Covers

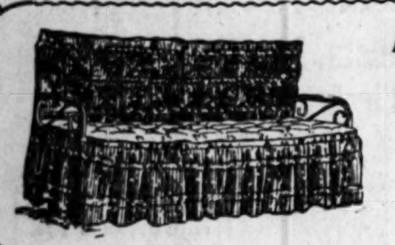
NEGUS Tapestry Couch Covers, in Oriental designs and coloring; 60 inches wide; 3 yards long, with heavy fringe; worth $3.50; on sale—on third floor—Friday, at $1.98

Curtain Muslin

SASH Curtain Muslin; 36 inches wide; excellent patterns; 10c quality; on sale Friday, 15 yards to a customer, at, per yard..................5c

Opaque Window Shades, mounted on good rollers, worth 30c, for 19c

Friday's Special Selling Features are Unusually Attractive: Read



Davenport and Bed, $10.98

DAVENPORT, like illusration; of excellent construction; frame of tubular and angle steel; retinned National springs; reinforced by oil-helicals and coil supports; when open forms a bed size 70x54 inches; entire outfit, including cotton pad covered with cretonne and set of baskets for bedding; Friday at....................$10.98

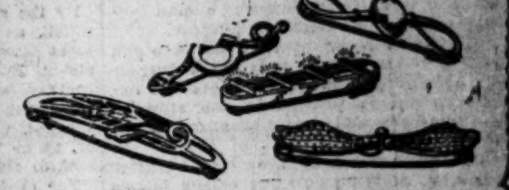
GRAND-LEADER

Stix, Baer & Fuller Dry Goods Co.

"THE FASTEST-GROWING STORE IN AMERICA.

Sale of Brooches, Lace Pins, Etc.

SEVERAL hundred pins; a wide range of novelties, including brooches, neck pins, collar pins, sash and belt pins; in a great variety of styles; secured from a New York importer; on sale at a fraction of their worth; some gold plated, others enameled, also jeweled effects; in gilt, gray, oxidized, gold and metal finishes; all clever styles; worth 50c to $1.50; choice of the entire lot...............25c



Unmatchable Silk Values

WE DO not make any extravagant claims for our offerings. Every statement you see in our advertisements is justified by the facts. Take for example our first item of 25c China and Japanese Silks at 18c a yard. These identical grades of silks have been advertised as 39c qualities, thereby making the offering sound greater. Remember, it is not what you see in the paper that counts—it is what you get in the store.

25c China and Japanese Silk, 18c

50c All-Silk Foulards, 25c a Yard

A LOT of remnants; lengths sufficient for waists, skirts and misses' dresses; probably enough to last 3 or 4 hours, but hardly longer; Friday, per yd....25c

75c Black Crinkled Crepe de Chine, 39c

ALL-SILK heavy crinkled black crepe de chine; 27 inches wide; not a very large quantity; on sale Friday, while the lot lasts, per yard............39c

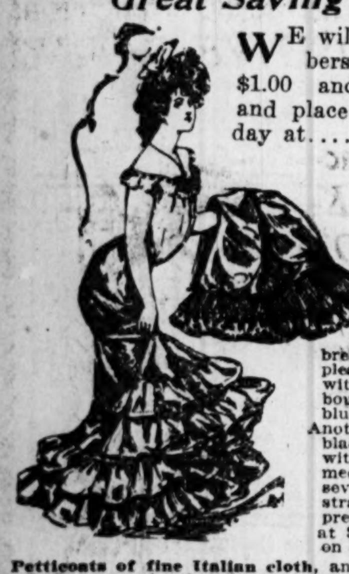
$1.00 Black Taffeta Silk, per Yard 69c

THIS is the standard $1.00 taffeta; superb black; suitable for shirtwaist suits or coat suits; 27 inches wide; Friday, per yard 69c

$1.00 Tussah Pongee Silk, Yard 85c

CHAMPAGNE shade of Pongee; made of Tussah silk; extra wide (36 inches); $1 and $1.25 qualities; Friday, per yard......................85c

Splendid Black Petticoats at a Great Saving Friday.



WE will take several numbers of our regular $1.00 and $1.25 Petticoats and place them on sale Friday at...................85c

One style is of good quality black mercerized sateen, sunburst effect, with 20-inch knife-pleated flounce; finished with flare ruffle.

Another style is made of mercerized moreen, umbrella style, with accordion pleated flounce, finished with small ruffle; velvet bound; come in brown, blue, green and red.

Another is of light weight black mercerized sateen, with deep flounce; trimmed with two ruffles and seven rows of tailor straps; also many other pretty styles; good values at $1.00 and $1.25; on sale Friday at....85c.

Petticoats of fine Italian cloth, and mercerized sateen, in the very newest styles; special values at $1.49, $1.98 and.............$2.98

$2.50 and $3.00 Nottingham Lace Curtains, $1.50 a Pair

A PURCHASE of 2000 pairs of Nottingham Lace Curtains—every pair perfect—embracing nearly 50 different patterns; suitable for any room in the house; styles that are copied from the highest cost curtains, will be placed on sale Friday on the basis of the purchase price—50c on the dollar. We advise you to make selections as early as possible..........$1.50

$1.50

IT IS a Curtain opportunity that you should grasp, for it places within your reach the styles that are in demand and qualities that you can rely upon, at a great saving; $2.50 and $3.00 values; all at $1.50

A lot of single Lace Curtains in this purchase; many match; worth to $1.50 each; on sale at 25c.

Stylish Spring Apparel Temptingly Priced

$4 Taffeta Silk Drop Skirts, $2.50

BLACK Taffeta Silk Drop Skirts; can be used either as underskirt or drop skirt; of excellent quality taffeta silk with fancy corded ruffle flounce; worth fully $4.00; 50 of them; on sale Friday, while they last, at..............................$2.50

New Silk Coats, Special, $4.95

BLACK Taffeta Silk Coats; 30 inches long; full loose pleated back; collarless style; trimmed with silk braid; newest shaped sleeves; special.$4.95

Silk Shirt-Waist Suits, $7.50

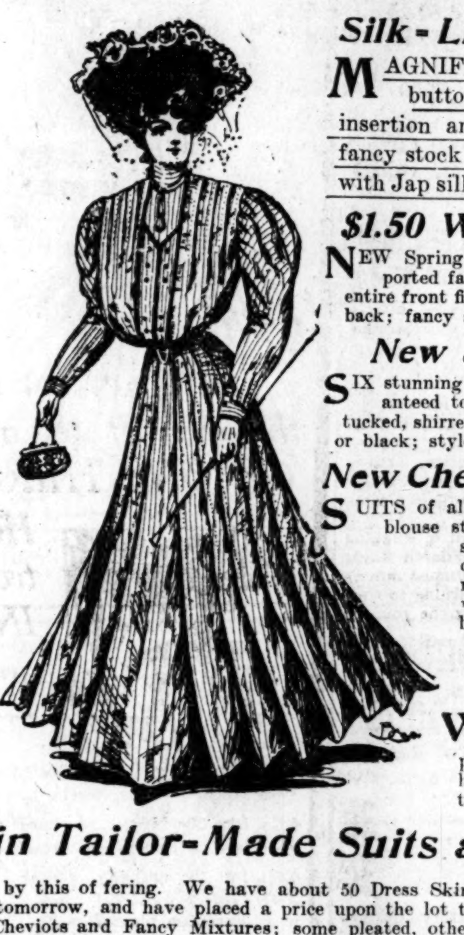
ANOTHER shipment of those Silk Shirt-Waist Suits that took so well will be placed on sale tomorrow; made of solid or changeable taffeta; front of waist finished with 12 wide knife pleats and small silk covered buttons; pleated back; new leg-o'-mutton sleeves; fancy stock collar and cuffs; skirt in the 9-gore flare style; finished with pleats and kilts; come in blue, black, brown, green and red..............................$7.50

New Covert Suits at $13.50

COVERT Cloth Suits; a good quality sort; all wool; coat in the 24-inch length; collarless style; finished with stitching and self-buttons; newest tailored sleeves; lined with good quality satin; skirt finished with pleats and kilts; come in pretty shades of tan. $13.50

$15 Silk-Lined Voile Skirts, $9.95

SKIRTS of best quality French Voile, 9-gore pleated style, with cluster of foot kilts; separate taffeta silk drop, with corded flounce; black only; just 50 of them; while they last at..................$9.95



Silk-Lined Lace Waists, $5.98

MAGNIFICENT styles in Allover Lace Waists; button in the back, neatly trimmed with lace insertion and medallions; newest shaped sleeves; fancy stock and cuffs; entirely lined with Jap silk; in white or ecru; Friday $5.98

$1.50 White Wash Waists, 95c

NEW Spring Waists one-third under price; made of imported fancy vestings and of best quality Persian lawn; entire front finished with wide knife pleats; tucked back; fancy stock and cuffs; 25 dozen at.........95c

New Jap Silk Waists, $4.95

SIX stunning models, made of best quality Jap silk; guaranteed to wear; new circular yoke style; also pleated, tucked, shirred and embroidered effects; white or black; styles exclusive with us............$4.95

New Checked Blouse Suits, $16.50

SUITS of all-wool, checked worsted; in an entirely new blouse style; with crushed girdle; front finished with silk cords, ornaments and pleats; finished around collar with taffeta and stitching; skirt in the newest pleated and kilted effects; coat lined with satin; they come in black, brown or checks..............$16.50

White Mohair Walking Skirts, $5.98

WALKING Skirts, made of excellent quality white mohair; all-over side pleated style; pleats stitched to below the hips; very graceful hanging skirt; popular garment this season..................$5.98

A Remarkable Offering in Tailor-Made Suits and Dress Skirts

You can judge how clean and up-to-date we keep our cloak stock by this of fering. We have about 50 Dress Skirts in the Winter styles, and 15 Tailor-made Suits, which we are determined to get rid of tomorrow, and have placed a price upon the lot that is sure to sell them. The Skirts come in French Voiles, Panamas, Cheviots and Fancy Mixtures; some pleated, others trimmed with taffeta bands; most of them are black; a few blues; they were priced to sell from $5.00 to $10.00. The tailored Suits are made of various materials. As there are only 15 in the lot we cannot enter into description; while they last, Friday, you may have any of the Suits or Skirts for $2,50.

$2.50 $2.50

Pretty Spring Millinery

COME and get a glimpse of the correct Millinery fashions for Spring. Styles that appeal to every individual are here a-plenty. For Friday's selling we offer some very special items.

Handsome Flower Hats—Made of flowers and foliage; they were made up to sell at $5.00; for Friday we offer a nice selection at $3.98

Chiffon Hats—In a variety of the newest shapes; brims of tucked chiffon; hand-made braid crowns; complete line of colors; $1.25 values; special for Friday..............................75c

Flowers—Large size bunches by the thousands; daisies, poppies, bluetts, carnations, violets, geraniums, etc.; choice of the entire lot, per bunch...........15c

Straw Braids—Every color and black; 9 to 10 yards to the bolt; Friday, per bolt...............25c

Special Ribbon Sale Friday

We will tie artistic bows and sashes for you free.

All-Silk Taffeta Ribbons—4½ inches wide; complete line of the new spring shades; worth 19c a yard; Friday, per yard......................12c

Satin and Gros-Grain Ribbon—No. 2; all bright shades and black; regular selling price, 19c a bolt; Friday, per bolt of 10 yards...................12c

Satin Taffeta Ribbon—All silk; high luster; 3½ inches wide; in every color and black; regular price 20c a yard; Friday at.........................12c

Men's Summer Underwear About Half of Usual Prices

WE BOUGHT 50 cases of Men's Summer Underwear, the entire clean-up stock of a large Eastern mill, at 50c on the dollar, and will place this entire purchase on sale Friday, offering you exceptional values, which should induce you to lay in your next Summer's supply.

50c, 65c and 75c Garments for 35c

There are Shirts and Drawers in a great variety of styles and colors, including men's light or heavyweight balbriggan underwear with double-seated drawers; medium weight fancy honeycomb weave, lisle thread underwear, in colors and white; lace ribbed cotton, medium weight underwear, in various colors; lace weave underwear in plain colors and combinations; light and heavy weight balbriggan underwear, and other grades; every garment nicely finished; French collar, pearl buttons, plain and silk faced fronts; all twin needle seams; shirts and drawers in every size; 50c, 65c and 75c values; choice of the lot.....................................35c

SPECIAL—Two cases only of Men's light blue Balbriggan Undershirts; French neck; pearl buttons; worth 29c a garment; while they last..........18c

Sale of Laces From Auction

D. S. FORCHHEIMER, New York, represented several of the most prominent lace manufacturers of Calais, Nottingham, Plauen and St. Gall. When he discontinued the business his entire stock was sold at auction by Field, Chapman & Co. Our representative secured a great many choice lots, and we will place these purchases on sale Friday.

NOTWITHSTANDING the fact that we import our Laces direct, and thereby save from one-fourth to one-third, this auction sale enabled us to secure greater values than by going abroad. The selling prices we have placed on these goods should induce you to anticipate your future needs, as the saving is way out of the ordinary. Let these price hints serve as examples:

Main Floor Section

Oriental Edges, Plauen Galoons and Insertion, Chantilly Bands and fine Normandy Vals. and Round Mesh Laces; an immense variety of pretty styles; worth 25c and 35c a yard; on sale at.... 15c

Real Cluny, Oriental Laces; up to 10 inches wide; an excellent variety of pretty styles; worth to 65c a yard; at.........25c

Allover Oriental Laces, in white, cream and Arabian; beautiful patterns; worth 75c a yard; at.......................39c

All-Silk Real Hand-Made Cluny Laces, in white and black; worth $1.00 to $1.50 a yard; on sale in two assortments, per yard, 39c and.........49c

Basement Lace Section

French Val. Laces; very pretty styles; worth 25c a dozen yards; Sale Price.........10c

Torchon Laces, Edging and Inserting, worth 5c a yard, at..2c

Fancy Cotton and Silk Laces, in white, cream and black; some of them double edge bands, inserting and edging; worth 10c and 15c a yard; at..........5c

Oriental Laces, Plauen Venise Insertings, Appliques and Chantilly Lace Flouncings; worth 20c and 25c a yard; at........10c

Allover Vals. and Fancy Laces; 18 inches wide; worth 50c a yard; at................19c

This purchase included about 100 dozen fine Lace Collars that range in value from $2.00 to $3.00; we offer you your choice of the entire lot, Friday, at..............................98c

China and Japanese Mattings

A LARGE import order of China and Japanese Mattings has arrived, and will be placed on sale Friday. The saving should induce you to supply future needs.

China Mattings; extra quality; worth 17½c a yard, at..........10c
China Mattings; splendid patterns; worth 25c a yard, at..........15c
China Mattings; choice patterns; worth 35c a yard, at..........20c
Japanese Mattings; fine grade; worth 35c a yard, at..........25c

WILTON VELVET RUGS—9x12 feet; new spring patterns; worth $25.00; on sale at..................$17.50

AXMINSTER RUGS; size 9x12 ft.; exceptionally good patterns; worth $32.50; on sale at $21.75

Remnant Sale in the Bargain Basement

Remnants of Cotton Challies; best quality; fancy printed; all Persian patterns; worth 10c a yard, from 8 to 10 Friday, per yard. 5c

Remnants of Lining Cambric; a full line of colors; best standard goods; worth 5c a yard; from 8 to 10 Friday, per yard......2c

Remnants of Dress Prints; full standard indigo blue; worth 6¼c a yard; two cases; while they last, per yard........................2½c

Remnants of Unbleached Muslin; 36 and 40 inches wide; worth 7½c a yard, at.......................5c

Remnants of Cotton Voile; fancy and woven; also embroidered Chambray; snowflake and checked Voiles; worth 15c a yard, at.............5c

Remnants of India Linen; 40 inches wide; extra fine grade; lengths to 8 yards; worth 10c a yard; at.5c

Remnants of White Dotted Swisses, Dotted Lawns, etc.; fine grades; worth 10c a yard; at.............5c

Remnants of All-wool Nun's Veiling and Albatross; 36 to 42 inches wide; in solid colors; light blue, tan, pink, cream, heliotrope, old rose, white and black; goods that sell in the piece for 50c and 65c a yard; at, per yard..........................25c

Boys' Waists or Blouses; made of good quality Percale; about 120 dozen; worth 35c; from 8 to 10 Friday, at..............15c

Remnants of White Checked Nainsooks; fine grade; worth 10c a yard; at.............................5c

Remnants of White Lawns; fancy lace striped; suitable for waists and dresses; worth 25c a yard; at..................................10c

Remnants of English Longcloth; soft finish; 36 inches wide; lengths to 10 yards; worth 15c a yard; at..6c

Women's House Dresses of best quality Percale, in medium light colors; skirts 4 yards wide with 5-inch hem; exceptionally well made; $2.00 value; all splendid styles; choice of the lot...........................98c

3 O'Clock Special

SCOTCH SUITING; beautiful double faced cotton dress fabric; very stylish for inexpensive costumes; an excellent imitation of all-wool goods; suitable for suits or separate skirts, a large assortment of colors and patterns; worth fully 15c a yard; on sale at 3 o'clock Friday—in basement—per yard.........7½c

No mail or phone orders filled.

Remnants of Batiste Lawns; fine quality; fancy printed; worth 15c a yard; from 8 to 10 Friday, per yard.............5c

Ready-made Bleached Sheets; seamless; extra good quality; full size, 81x90 inches; worth 50c each, from 8 to 10 Friday at 29c

Remnants of India Linon; 32 inches wide; fine grade; lengths to 6 yards; worth up to 15c a yd.; at 7½c

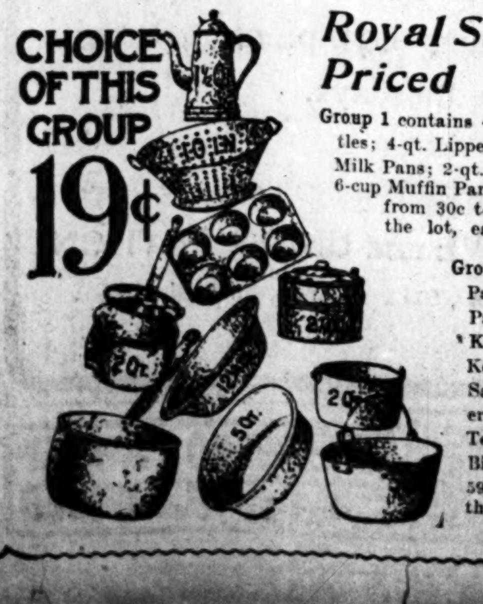
Remnants of Drapery Swisses; 36 inches wide; in dots and figures; lengths up to 12 yards; 15c quality, per yard..............................7½c

Remnants of Madras Waistings; white; highly mercerized; lengths to 4 yards; worth to 35c a yard; 15c

Remnants of Cotton Taffeta Lining; highly mercerized; in solid black only; 36 inches wide; 12½c grade, per yard..........................5c

Best Table Oil Cloth; about 200 pieces; a large assortment of fancy colors; worth 20c a yard, at..............................12½c

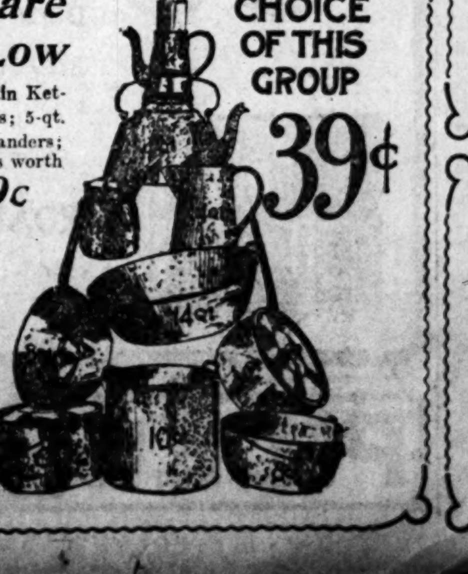
Just a few Boys' and Children's Suits and Overcoats left. We offer them at considerable less than half the former selling prices. If you can find the right size for your boy, you will get a great bargain; just three assortments, $2.50, $1.75 and $1.00



Royal Steel Enamelware Priced Extremely Low

Group 1 contains 4-qt. Lipped Kettles; 2-qt. Berlin Kettles; 4-qt. Lipped Sauce Pans; 12¼-inch Basins; 5-qt. Milk Pans; 2-qt. Covered Buckets; 10-inch Colanders; 6-cup Muffin Pans and 1½-qt. Tea Pots; articles worth from 30c to 39c each; choice of the lot, each.......................19c

Group 2 contains 14-qt. Dish Pans; 8-qt. Lipped Sauce Pans; 8-qt. Lipped Preserving Kettles; 6-qt. Covered Berlin Kettles; 6-qt. Covered Berlin Sauce Pans; 1½-qt. Rice Boilers; 4-qt. Coffee Pots; 4-qt. Tea Kettles and 1½-qt. Coffee Biggins; articles worth from 59c to 69c; choice of the lot, each..........39c



The China Trust is Busted

THE Potters' Association was formed with a view of maintaining a price standard. It succeeded in doing so until the Homer Laughlin China Co. of East Liverpool, Ohio, withdrew from the association.

We bought from them two carloads of white Porcelain Dinner and Toilet Ware at a price that enables us to sell at **exactly half of Homer Laughlin's list prices.**

This saving chance should appeal very forcibly to boarding house keepers, restaurants, hotels, etc.; in fact all large users of china.

	Homer Laughlin's List Price.	Our Price.
Teacups and Saucers	$ 1.60 dozen	80c dozen
Dinner Plates, 8-inch size	1.50 dozen	75c dozen
Breakfast Plates, 7-inch size	1.30 dozen	65c dozen
Tea Plates, 6-inch size	1.10 dozen	55c dozen
Bread and Butter Plates	.90 dozen	45c dozen
Soup Plates, 7-inch size	1.30 dozen	65c dozen
Fruit Saucers, 4-inch size	.60 dozen	30c dozen
Oatmeal Bowls	1.40 dozen	70c dozen
Individual Butters	.40 dozen	20c dozen
Meat Platters, 8-inch size	2.00 dozen	9c each
Meat Platters, 10-inch size	3.60 dozen	15c each
Meat Platters, 12-inch size	6.00 dozen	25c each
Meat Platters, 14-inch size	8.40 dozen	35c each
Covered Vegetable Dish, 7-inch size	8.40 dozen	35c each
Covered Vegetable Dish, 8-inch size	9.60 dozen	40c each
Sauce Boats	3.20 dozen	13c each
Covered Butter Dishes	7.20 dozen	30c each
Open Vegetable Dish, 6-inch size	2.00 dozen	8c each
Open Vegetable Dish, 7-inch size	2.40 dozen	10c each
Open Vegetable Dish, 8-inch size	3.60 dozen	15c each
Bone Dishes	1.20 dozen	5c each
Covered Sugar Bowls	4.80 dozen	20c each
Coffee Cups and Saucers	1.86 dozen	93c dozen
Cream Pitchers	2.40 dozen	10c each
Pickle Dishes	3.60 dozen	13c each
Bowl and Pitcher	19.20 dozen	90c set
Covered Slop Jars	20.80 dozen	[illegible] each
Covered Chambers	9.60 dozen	40c each

Great Shoe Bargains Friday

DURING the past few weeks we have been busily engaged in disposing of Goehner-Powers' $14,000 stock of Shoes. This has, in a measure, held back the sale of our regular stock, consequently we have more shoes on hand than we should have. We are determined to remedy this evil by offering extraordinary values on a number of our best lines.

WOMEN'S FINE SHOES—Hand-sewed welts; in patent colt, patent kid and fine French kid; complete line of sizes; $3.00, $3.50 and $4.00 values; on sale Friday at..............$1.98

Women's Stylish Shoes in patent leather and kid, including 300 pairs of the Queen quality $3.00 shoes, restamped, every pair perfect; there are other shoes in this lot that are only worth $1.50; all on sale—in the basement—Friday..................98c

THREE WIVES CLAIM INVENTOR

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

CINCINNATI, O., March 9.—The matrimonial mystery of Samuel Lawrence Barriett, the deceased inventor, became more tangled today and attorney William E. Dickson notified Judge Malbary that Barriett had figured in three marriages, instead of two.

The new claimants to his meager estate are two Texas girls, who claim to be Barriett's daughters.

THE VALUE OF CHARCOAL.

Few People Know How Useful It Is in Preserving Health and Beauty.

Nearly everybody knows that charcoal is the safest and most efficient disinfectant and purifier in nature, but few realize its value when taken into the human system for the same cleansing purpose.

Charcoal is a remedy that the more you take of it the better; it is not a drug at all, but simply absorbs the gases and impurities always present in the stomach and intestines and carries them out of the system.

Charcoal sweetens the breath after smoking, drinking or after eating onions and other odorous vegetables.

Charcoal effectually clears and improves the complexion, it whitens the teeth and further acts as a natural and eminently safe cathartic.

It absorbs the injurious gases which collect in the stomach and bowels; it disinfects the mouth and throat from the poison of catarrh.

All druggists sell charcoal in one form or another, but probably the best charcoal and the most for the money is in Stuart's Charcoal Lozenges; they are composed of the finest powdered Willow charcoal, and other harmless antiseptics in tablet form, or, rather, in the form of large, pleasant-tasting lozenges, the charcoal being mixed with honey.

The daily use of these lozenges will soon tell in a much improved condition of the general health, better complexion, sweeter breath and purer blood, and the beauty of it is, that no possible harm can result from their continued use, but on the contrary, great benefit.

A Buffalo physician in speaking of the benefits of charcoal, says: "I advise Stuart's Charcoal Lozenges to all patients suffering from gas in stomach and bowels, and to clear the complexion and purify the breath, mouth and throat; I also believe the liver is greatly benefited by the daily use of them; they cost but 25 cents a box at drug stores, and although in some sense a patent preparation, yet I believe I get more and better charcoal in Stuart's Charcoal Lozenges than in any of the ordinary charcoal tablets."

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H. BURKE, 2286 Franklin.
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J. P. CAMPBELL, Grand and Page.
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G. A. DUFFNER, 5094 Page.
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ED EIDEN, Ninth and Warren.
C. EBENHART, 2106 Olive.
F. FREWER, 1500 Bayard.
FAIRBER BROS., 3501 Indiana.
GRAVOIS GRO. CO., 3000 Gravois.
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M. GRABEN, Jefferson and Geyer.
W. M. HERTLING, 4163 Manchester.
HACKMAN BROS., Russell and Vandeventer.
PAUL HAGEMAN, 2248 Sullivan.
J. HALBACH, Twenty-second and Benton.
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G. W. SPILKER, 4801 Blair.
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HY. SCHMITT, 2336 North Market.
W. J. SCHWARZTRAUBER, 3100 Ridge.
WENGEL & MOLLENHOFF, 6001 Michigan.
H. A. WALL, 2800 Franklin.
H. WEMHOENER, Fifteenth and Lucas.
A. WORDEKING, Twentieth and Grand.
D. WEISENTIEN, 1801 Biddle.
F. ZEUTMAN, 3550 S. Broadway.
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WAINWRIGHT GETS MONEY FROM HOME

Fugitive From Bribery Warrant Now in Gay Paree to Receive $600,000.

SALE OF WAINWRIGHT BLDG.

Deed Sent to France for His Signature—He Gets Two-Thirds of Proceeds.

By the sale of the Wainwright building, which, as was told in the Post-Dispatch some days ago, has been practically completed, Ellis Wainwright, who has been a fugitive in Paris since he was indicted in connection with Municipal Assembly boodle charges, will receive approximately $600,000 or, as he will be able to estimate it now, 3,000,000 francs.

The deed transferring the property from the Wainwright Real Estate Co. to William Pickel, of the Pickel Stone Co., for $900,000, has been sent by Charles B. Gerhart of the F. H. & C. B. Gerhart Real Estate Co., agents for the building, to Wainwright in Paris for his signature. As the details of the sale had been agreed to by him previously, it is expected that he will immediately sign and return the deed.

Wainwright owns approximately a two-thirds interest in the property; his brother, John W. Wainwright, now in California, and his sister, Mrs. Edward S. Baker of St. Louis, own the other third. They each receive in the neighborhood of $150,000 for their interests.

It is now understood that Wainwright has determined that he will not return to St. Louis. From time to time it has been reported that he contemplated returning if he could make any arrangement to compromise or escape trial under the indictment, but the positive statement was made Thursday that his present plan was to never return.

He is disposing of his property here as rapidly as possible. The Wainnwright building is the largest single piece, but he has other realty for which negotiations are pending. One building is that on Sixth street, between Olive and Pine streets, now occupied by Cesar's Cafe. It is understood that Frank Nagel has offered $100,000 for this property, but that it is held for $125,000.

The Wainwright building, a ten-story structure at Seventh and Chestnut streets, yields, it is said, 5 per cent on a valuation of $1,000,000. The ground, 114 feet on Seventh street by 122 feet on Chestnut street, was purchased for $1000 a foot, Seventh street frontage. The building represents an investment of $600,000.

SHOTS MISS CANS, HIT EOYS

Four Youths Will Answer in Court for Reckless Shooting With Cat Rifles.

Henry Ollives, 12 years old, living at 2326 Gravois avenue, and Henry Shuh, 11 years old, 2655 Indiana avenue, were wounded by shots from cat rifles with which Stanton Boswell, aged 16, 2610 Arsenal street; Richard Hellerman, aged 14, 2213 Sidney street; Julius Willis, aged 11, 2313 Sidney street, and William Ogenhosser, aged 13, 2510 South Jefferson avenue, were shooting at tin cans and other targets about 5:30 o'clock Wednesday afternoon. Ollives was slightly wounded in the forehead and young Shuh in the leg.

They were playing in Ollives' back yard, and resented their shooting by bombarding the cat-rifle brigade with stones. Policemen Heins and Seeger arrested the four rifle marksmen Wednesday evening and Stanton Boswell must appear in the City Hall Police Court and his three companions in the Juvenile Court to answer for their reckless shooting within the city limits.

DRAGS AGED MAN FROM DANGER

Minister Rescues Person Who Falls in Front of Rapidly Moving Street Car.

Rev. B. T. Kimmerer, an Episcopal minister attached to the Locust Street Mission, 1210 Locust street, dragged George P. Cooper, aged 88, from in front of a rapidly-moving southbound Broadway car at Broadway and Olive street Thursday noon.

Mr. Cooper was crossing Broadway from the east on the south side of Olive street and Rev. Kimmerer was immediately behind him. They waited for a northbound car to pass and then hurried to avoid the southbound car. Mr. Cooper was in the middle of the track when he fell.

Rev. Kimmerer quickly grabbed the fallen man's legs and dragged him backward off the track. Mr. Cooper was taken to the City Dispensary, where several cuts on his right hand, caused by it being under him as he was dragged from the cartrack, were dressed. He was not otherwise injured and went to his home, 2653 Pine street, in a carriage.

NO TRACE OF LOST $7000.

Attorneys and Detectives Search for Mrs. Bohle's Money.

Attorneys and detectives who are searching for the package of $7000 in currency lost Monday afternoon by Mrs. Louis C. Bohle of 3028 Lucas avenue, widow of the former United States marshal, report Thursday that no trace of the money has been found. Mrs. Bohle says the money consisted of two $1000 bills, one $500 bill, twenty $100 bills, and $2500 in $10 and $20 bills. She thinks she lost it at Eighth and Olive streets when she was startled by an approaching automobile. The money was wrapped in a newspaper and was being taken from one trust company to another for deposit.

DETECTIVES RAID LOTTERY.

Two Arrests and Tickets Confiscated in Walnut Street.

Detectives Feeney and Madsen of the gambling squad raided the Little Mexican Lottery and the Henry Policy Co. at 411 Walnut street Wednesday afternoon and arrested Louis Miller and John Murray, the alleged proprietors. They confiscated 200 lottery tickets, a number of drawings, policy sheets and envelopes containing money.

The two men were locked up in the holdover and entered on the books as "held for the chief."

Alimony Claim Against McCann.

Lucy May Johnston of Fayette County, Kentucky, divorced wife of James P. McCann, for whose murder F. Seymour Barrington was sentenced to death, has filed a claim against the estate of McCann for $286 alimony. The claim reached the Probate court of St. Louis Wednesday and recited that alimony of $120 a year was granted the claimant and it was not paid from February, 1902, to June 18, 1903, the date of McCann's death.

Bill Abolishing Pillory.

DOVER, Del., March 9.—A bill abolishing the pillory has passed the state Senate by a vote of 14 to 2. The House has not acted on it. Delaware has punished her thieves, highwaymen, assailants of women and pickpockets by pillory and whipping post since 1717. The bill does not contemplate abandoning the whipping post.

Accused of Running Lottery.

Warrants were issued Thursday charging Louis Miller with establishing a lottery in the shape of a police game, and John Murray with attempting to sell lottery tickets. The men were arrested at 411 Walnut street Wednesday afternoon.

DAMAGED BY SMOKE AND WATER!
Insurance Company Settled! The Globe Bought the Stock!

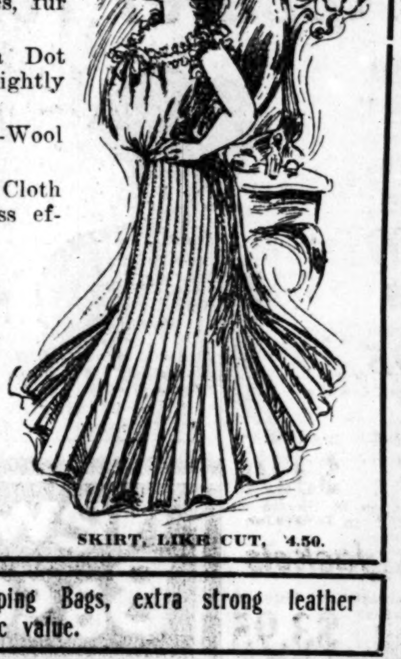
The fire in the seven-story building at Ninth St. and Lucas Av., occupied by Singer Bros., last week, damaged thousands of dollars' worth of goods, mostly by smoke and water. The insurance company settled, and The Globe purchased the stock, which will be ALMOST GIVEN AWAY TOMORROW. Remember, goods only Damaged by Smoke and Water! This is a chance that does not often occur. Sale starts tomorrow at 8 a. m.

Ladies' Silk Shirtwaist Suits, 3.95; Muslin, 1c; Dressing Sacques, 15c; Calico, 1c; Polka Dot Shirt Waists, 25c; Wrappers, 29c; Lawns, 1c; Ginghams, 2½c; Satin Underskirts, 49c; Toweling, 2½c; Silk Capes, 49c; Chambrays, 3c; Electric Seal Scarfs, 39c; Shaker Flannels, 3½c; Shirt-Waist Suits, 89c; Fringed Huck Towels, 2c; Covert Dress Skirts, 75c; Etc., Etc., Etc.

3.95 for $20 Taffeta Shirt-Waist Suits

3.95 for Ladies 20.00 Taffeta Silk, Pongee and Satin Foulard Shirtwaist Suits. Slightly damp.
98c for Ladies' 3.00 White P. K. Dress Skirts, full width, slightly damaged.
49c for Ladies' 2.00 Silk Capes, lace and ribbon trimmed, slightly damaged.
39c for Ladies' 2.00 Electric Seal Scarfs, cluster tails, slightly damaged.
75c for Ladies' 1.50 Denim Dress Skirts, dark shades, slightly soiled.
2.95 for Ladies' 8.00 and 10.00 Kersey Cloth and Plush Capes, fur trimmed, slightly damaged.
89c for Ladies' 4.00 Polka Dot Lawn Shirt-Waist Suits, slightly soiled.
1.50 for Ladies' 4.00 All-Wool Dress Skirts.
2.95 for Ladies' 5.00 Covert Cloth Jackets, new sleeves, collarless effect, lined throughout.

4.50 for Beautiful New 10.00 Skirts, like cut! ☞
Latest shades, new pleated effect, 50 gores, a positive $10 skirt; come and see it.
15c for Dressing Sacques.
39c for Wrappers with flounce.
49c for Ladies' 1.50 Sateen Underskirt, with full flounce and ruffle.
25c for Polka Dot Lawn Waists.



SKIRT, LIKE CUT, 4.50.

12c For Fish-Net Shopping Bags, extra strong leather handles, regular 25c value.

Selling Out Household Goods!
Everything Must Go Regardless of Cost or Value.
7c Fancy Water Glasses ... 3c
10c English China Oatmeal Bowls ... 3c
3.00 center draft fancy decorated Parlor Lamps ... 1.50
All other goods at the same proportion

We are showing large varieties of
LADIES' SPRING NECKWEAR
10c for Lace and Washable Stocks. latest designs, worth 25c.
15c for 39c imported Lace Collars, with ruching attached.
19c for 39c ruffling Collar and Cuff Sets. Val. lace band, with accordion pleated ruffle.
25c for lace, silk and washable Collars. Very newest effects; worth up to 50c each.

Unheard of Values— New Silks and Dress Goods
50c Louisine Silks, all the new shades ... 25c
75c White Habutai Wash Silks, yard wide ... 39c
1.00 Satin Foulard Silks, new designs ... 69c
25c Novelty Voiles, new spring patterns ... 12½c
50c Silk Mulls, in dotted effects ... 25c
1.00 Natural Pongee Silk, yard wide ... 49c
1.00 Black Taffeta Silk, yard wide ... 59c
65c Mohair Brilliantine, 40 inches wide ... 35c
1.50 new spring Broadcloths, 54 inches wide ... 95c

Unprecedented Bargains New Ginghams, Wash Goods and White Goods
10c Dress Ginghams, new spring styles ... 4½c
15c Corded Madras Waistings and Shirtings ... 8⅓c
20c Black Mercerized Sateens, yard wide ... 7½c
65c Bleached Bed Sheets, size 81x90 ... 33c
1.00 White Marseilles Pattern Bed Spreads ... 69c
25c Mercerized Silk Ginghams, new dress styles ... 15c
10c Turkish Bath Towels, large size ... 5c
1.00 Damask ¾ Napkins, dinner size, dozen ... 59c
15c Berkley Cambric, the finest ... 7½c
12½c Robe Sateens, for drapery ... 6½c
10c White-Checked Nainsook ... 5c
35c Bleached Table Damask, 58 inches wide ... 18c

New Embroideries and Laces, Less Than Half
At 7½c per yard, Hamburg, Nainsook and Swiss Embroideries up to 5 inches wide, worth up to 19c.
At 10c per dozen yards, Valenciennes Lace Edgings, worth up to 25c.
At 12½c per yard, Embroidery Skirt Flouncing, in cambric and nainsook, up to 9 inches wide, worth up to 30c.
At 25c per yard, Allover Embroidery Yokings, in Swiss and nainsook, worth up to 75c.

New Rugs, Draperies and Floor Coverings
Way Under Others' Prices!
$2.00 Smyrna Rugs, size 30x60 inches ... 98c
85c Floor Oil Cloth, new patterns ... 17½c
75c Floor Linoleum, standard quality ... 39c
35c Cotton Warp Jap Matting, choice patterns ... 17c
$1.00 Lace Curtains, 3 yards long, pair ... 50c
$5.00 Tapestry Portieres, extra heavy, pair ... 2.45
12½c White Dotted Curtain Swiss, yard wide ... 6½c
$25.00 Wilton Velvet Room Rugs, 9½x12 feet ... 15.00
$2.00 Lace Curtains, 3½ yards long, pair ... 95c

25c Women's Hose, 15c
Fast black and full fashioned foot.
Boys' Bicycle Hose, extra heavy, sizes 6 to 10, 25c value ... 15c
Misses' Hose, ribbed, double knee, heel and toe, 19c value ... 10c

1.50 Corsets, 49c
A lot of odds and ends, standard brands, such as R. & G., C. B., W. B. and others, $1.50 value ... 49c
Corset Covers, full front, lace trimmed, 25c value ... 15c
Drawers, yoke band, deep hem and tucks, 25c value ... 12½c
Gowns, finished with tucked yoke and ruffles, 39c value ... 25c
Skirts, knee flounce, 3 rows Cluny lace insertion, ruffle to match and dust ruffle, $1.50 value ... 98c

29c Music, 12½c
GEO. M. COHAN,
The Yankee Doodle Comedian;
"Little Jonny Jones,"
Now Playing at the Century:
"Mr. Boston Lawson Has His Way," "Good-bye, Flo," "Life is a Funny Proposition After All," "They're All My Friends," "Good Old California." These and all other latest hits all this week ... 12½c

Men's 1.50 Cluett and Monarch Shirts, 55c
30 dozen seconds, as long as they last, 6 for $3.00, or, each ... 55c

9.50 for Men's 12.50 New Spring Suits and Top Coats
The Suits are all wool fancy cheviots, navy serges, fancy worsteds, black thibets and chocolate twills. The Topcoats comprise covert cloths, venetians, homespuns and fancy cassimeres. The shades are tans, browns, fawns, grays and pearl. Beautifully tailored, artistically built. Other stores charge 12.50. At the Globe ... 9.50

9.50 for Men's 12.50 Cravenettes, in grays, tans, browns and fancy mixtures; splendid garments; elsewhere 12.50; at the Globe ... 9.50
2.50 for Men's 6.50, 7.50 and 10.00 Mackintosh Raincoats; about 300 of these garments left; we will sell them out at ... 2.50
1.00 for Men's 2.00 Corduroy Pants.
9.50 for Young Men's 12.50 Suits, ages 14 to 20 years; in blue serges, fancy worsteds, cheviots and cassimeres; double and single-breasted stlyes; elsewhere 12.50; at the Globe ... 9.50

$1 "Star" Brand Boys' Waists, 25c
50c Boys' Knee Pants ... 25c
2.50 Boys' Double-Breasted Suits; 25 patterns to select from. Latest styles tomorrow ... 1.45
4.00 Boys' All-Wool Suits, latest spring styles, nobby effects ... 2.45
75c for Men's 1.50 & 2.00 Vests
In P. Ks., Ducks and Fancy Wash Materials

Another Big Day in our Shoe Department.
Boys' $2 Lace Shoes, heavy soles, all sizes ... 1.19
Ladies' 2.50 Lace Shoes, single and double soles, all sizes and widths ... 1.39
Ladies' 1.50 Strap Slippers; vici kid and patent leather ... 79c
Ladies' 3.50 Lace Shoes in patent leather and vici kid, Goodyear Welt and hand turned soles, Friday ... 1.89

10c for Boys' 25c Golf Caps
19c for Boys' and Girls' 50c New Spring Style Tams and Golf Caps.
50c for Boys' 1.25 Fedora Hats.

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3⅓c for 10c cotton Seamless Sox.
5c for men's 10c Garters.
5c for men's 25c Suspenders.
5c for men's 10c Canvas Gloves.
5c for men's 15c Silk Bows.
8⅓c for men's 15c heavy Merino Sox.
19c for boys' colored 35c Shirts, collars attached.
19c for men's 50c light and medium weight Shirts and Drawers.
19c for boys' 50c and 75c wool Sweaters.
12c for men's 25c Police and Firemen's Brace, extra heavy.
25c for men's 50c union made flannelette working Shirts.
25c for men's unlaundered white Shirts, linen bosoms and bands; 50c quality.
31c for men's 50c blue chambray working Shirts.
33c for men's 75c heavy wool fleeced Undershirts.
39c for men's 75c muslin Night Shirts.
39c for men's 75c heavy jersey Shirts.
48c for men's 1.00 and 1.50 Cluett and Monarch Shirts, stiff bosoms, broken sizes.
89c for men's 2.00 single and double breasted flannel Shirts, all sizes and shades.

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Castile Soap, 6 cakes for ... 5c
King's best 200-yard spool Cotton ... 1c
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Hooks and Eyes, best makes, 2 dozen ... 1c
Wire Hair Pins, 2 packages for ... 1c
Horseshoe Needle Books, contains 5 doz. needles ... 2½c
Best quality Pins, 200 in a paper, 2 papers for ... 1c
Steel Safety Pins, worth 5c per dozen ... 1c
Hard Rubber Dressing Combs, 25c value ... 5c
Taffeta silk seam Binding, all colors, 9 yards on a bolt ... 2½c
3½-yard roll Cotton Tape, worth 5c, on sale at ... 1c
Hair and Clothes Brushes, best quality bristles, 25c goods, at ... 10c
Mennen's Borated Talcum Powder, regular 25c can, on sale at ... 9c
Aluminum Thimbles, 2 for ... 1c
Pompadour Combs, featherweight, 25c value ... 5c
Sweet Water Pearl Buttons, best sizes, worth 5c, per dozen ... 1c
⅝-yard remnants silk Garter Elastic ... 2½c
Unbreakable hard rubber Fine Combs, sell at 19c—sale price ... 5c
Best makes 100-yard Sewing Silk, all colors except black and white, per spool ... 5c

$30

Tickets to California and the Great Northwest via the Burlington Route will be on sale at St. Louis daily to May 15. Correspondingly low rates from other points.

Daily tourist cars for California during this period, leaving St. Louis 9:01 p. m. Personally conducted on Wednesdays.

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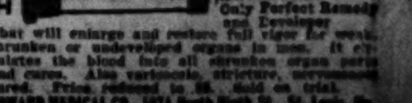

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LEAP FROM WINDOW STIRS LEGISLATORS

Democrats Bolt From Oklahoma House and Member Attempts to Attack Speaker.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

GUTHRIE, O. T., March 9.—Oklahoma legislators today were treated to little diversions, including the bolting of 11 Democrats from the House, because the Republicans refused to take up the constitutional convention bills, and a sensational leap through a window by Representative Robinson of Greer County, after an attempt to attack Speaker Norton in a corridor.

The result of these diversions is non-apparent, in so far as the constitutional convention bills are concerned, but upon the clothing of Representative Robinson, after his leap through the window, the effect was disastrous.

Robinson is a Democrat, and his attempted attack upon the speaker followed the bolt of his colleagues from the session.

Phipps to Aid Mexicans.

AUSTIN, Tex., March 9.—A dispatch from Mexico City says Henry Phipps, steel magnate of New York, who is visiting that city, will build a mammoth tenement house in the Mexican capital for poor people.

The young Man's Store

This is a store in which young men like to deal because we are always first to show the new ideas. Try us for your new Spring Suit and your other requisites to go with it.

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ROSE BOWLS—worth 90c	65c
ICE CREAM TRAYS—worth 95c	65c
SALAD PLATES—worth 45c	30c
ALOE'S ROMAN GOLD—worth 70c	50c
HASBURG'S PHOENIX GOLD—worth $1.00	60c
HANCOCK'S RAISED PASTE—worth 25c	15c
DRESDEN RED SABLE BRUSHES—sizes 1 to 12	10c

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A NEW TOP COAT

Will go well with the Shamrock. Before you get out in line as either spectator or parader on St. Patrick's Day, get into a MacCarthy-Evans top-notcher Topcoat.

Not only tan coverts, but fancy hued homespuns and light-weight cheviots are being made into swagger Topcoats this Spring. $35 is the popular price.

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BARGAIN CANDY DAY
Meadow Gold Butter Taffy Tomorrow, Pound, 10c, at
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"NEEDED ON SCHOOL BOARD," SAYS NEGRO

Dr. W. P. Curtis Declares Whites Can't Understand Race From Barber or Cook.

"REPRESENT 5000 PUPILS"

Colored Man Says He Would Be a Great Aid in Solving Public School Problems.

Dr. William P. Curtis of 1409 Market street is the first negro to aspire to membership in the St. Louis school board. He has notified Chairman Jeptha Howe of the Republican central committee that he would like to be one of the two Republicans on the "non-partisan," or rather, bi-partisan, ticket in April.

"My name will be presented to the nominating convention next Wednesday," Dr. Curtis told a Post-Dispatch reporter, "if I can get a delegate to present it. There will be about a dozen negro delegates. If defeated I will have it presented again later on.

"I am seeking the nomination at the solicitation of my friends," he said. "They believe—and I agree with them—that a negro on the school board would be an aid to the board as well as to the negro school teachers and pupils.

"There are 13 negro schools in St. Louis, 130 negro teachers and more than 5000 negro pupils. White men do not understnd the negro, as a rule, and the high-class gentlemen who comprise the school board do not understand, I am sure, the inner lives of the negroes of St. Louis. White men will say: 'Oh, yes, I know all about the negro' and then they will tell you that they have talked about it to their barber or coachman or Mary, the cook, who has been with them 30 years.

"But there are other negroes in St. Louis besides the serving class. There are families who are deeply interested in the education of their children; there are homes where there is culture and polish, there are circles where the cultured white man would be pleasantly surprised were he to enter them.

"This class of negroes St. Louis seldom hears about. It hears about negroes who apply for jobs as janitors in political offices. Well, this movement to place a negro on the school board is designed partly to show to the white people of St. Louis that there are negroes who take an interest in the public welfare, who do not desire political recognition for the money that there is in it, but who are willing to do what they can to aid the white brother in contributing to the public good.

"There is no salary attached to the position of school director. I maintain that I or any other competent negro would be of service to the gentlemen of the board. Suppose questions arise now regarding the negro schools? How are the gentlemen who live, for instance, in Vandeventer place, to decide them? They must depend upon the word of others. A negro on the board would be in a position to learn the truth first hand.

"Then the welfare of the negro pupils, morally and otherwise, is most important. Intelligent white men, no matter how honestly they wish to conserve it, are usually not in a position to understand the subject thoroughly. For instance, the location of some of the negro schools now should be changed or the conditions improved. There are schools where the girls must pass along streets infested by disreputable persons every day. This should not be."

Too Bad You're Married.

As Justice William J. Hanley of 3702 Easton avenue offers to give a book full of Eagle Trading Stamps to every couple he marries. If you know any couples who are matrimonially inclined, just tell them about it.

MAN DIES MYSTERIOUSLY

Police Investigating Death of Michael McGrath, Who Succumbed to Injuries.

NEW YORK, March 9.—Police are investigating the death of Michael McGrath, a well-known horseman of the Bronx, who died in Fordham Hospital today from a fracture of the skull.

McGrath was owner of a stable of fast horses which he kept in the barns of Armand H. Mollenhauer. Mollenhauer told the police that McGrath told him Saturday morning he was going downtown to sell one of his horses, valued at $1000.

The next Mollenhauer saw of McGrath, he says, was at 2 o'clock Sunday morning, when he was awakened by a watchman who had with him McGrath, whom he had found wandering around in a dazed condition.

McGrath was taken to the hospital, where he remained unconscious until his death.

F. H. INGALLS ESTATE DIVIDED.

Widow Asked in Will Not to Wear Mourning.

The will of F. H. Ingalls of 5250 Westminster place, who died Feb. 28, requests that his wife shall not wear mourning for him.

The will, which was filed Wednesday in the Probate court, provided that 160 shares of stock in the F. H. Ingalls Mercantile Co. shall go to his brother, William E. Ingalls, $1000 in monthly payments of $50 to his nephew, Frederick G. Ingalls; $5000 to his sister, Mrs. Lillian E. Raymond.

The will stated that the testator knew that his brother and sister would provide for their father and to him was left $35 a month.

The remainder of the estate is left to his wife, the will providing that should she not survive him the residence property in Westminster place and all of the stock in the Ingalls Mercantile Co. should go to his brother, William, and the remainder of the eseate be divided equally between his brother and sister.

Busy Bee Bargain Day tomorrow. Broadway Mixture, one-half chocolates, 15 cents pound.

SALTER OUT ON $500 BOND.

Wright A. Salter, clerk in the sub-post-office in the Planters' Hotel, who was arrested Wednesday morning charged with embezzling nearly $400 in postal and money order receipts, waived a preliminary hearing and was released under $500 bond to await the action of the grand jury.

Salter made a confession in which he stated that he had lost nearly $400 in betting on the New Orleans races in handbooks.

Imperial Cocoanut Candy 10 cents per pound Friday. Imperial, 518 Washington avenue.

Thinks His Friend Ended Life.

John Schumacher of 1228 South Third street, is seeking to establish the identity of the man who was found behind a billboard on Grand avenue a week ago with a bullethole through his heart. Schumacher visited the morgue with a photograph to see the body, but it had been buried. Schumacher says he believes the body to be that of Fred Bernhart, who formerly lived at Broadway and Gano avenue, though the identity has not been fully established. He said he and Bernhart had rented a safe deposit box together at a St. Louis bank, but that he had not seen Bernhart for more than a year.

Busy Bee Bargain Day tomorrow. Broadway Mixture, one-half chocolates, 15 cents pound.

DEATH SENTENCE DUE TO POOR DEFENSE

Gov. Folk Changes Negro's Penalty to Life Imprisonment Giving This as Ground.

Gov. Folk Wednesday commuted from hanging to life imprisonment the sentence of Fred Williams, a negro, who was to have been executed Friday for the murder of Luther Lewis, whom he shot in a quarrel, Aug. 18, 1903.

In his official statement to the secretary of state Gov. Folk declares his conviction that the death penalty was too severe in Williams' case, and that if the man had been properly defended it would not have been imposed.

"Many times," reads the governor's letter, "it is the lawyer that is tried instead of the defendant. A good lawyer may induce the jury to liberate a guilty man and a poor lawyer may succeed in having a jury inflict a severer punishment upon his client than he merits. I am satisfied that if Williams had been properly defended the jury would not have imposed the extreme punishment of death."

The news of the commutation of Williams' sentence was carried to him by Mrs. Dawson, wife of Jailer Dawson. Williams was overjoyed, embracing his sister, who was with him at the time, turning then to the cell of "Bill" Rudolph, sentenced to be hanged March 18, and shaking hands with him and manifesting his happiness in other ways.

When the news became known to the other prisoners in the jail they cheered Williams heartily. The death watch, which was put on Wednesday morning by Sheriff Clark, will be removed when the sheriff is officially notified of the commutation of Williams' sentence.

No Program for Catholic Parade.

The Irish Catholic Parade Union issued a statement Thursday notifying the public that there is no official or souvenir program for the Irish Catholic parade to be held March 19. Final arrangements will be made Friday night when the grand marshal and his aids will hold a meeting in conjunction with the committee on organization at 8 o'clock at the Lindell Hotel.

TAX-DODGING DELAYS FRUIT

Plan of Railroads to Defeat Ends of California Law a Blow to Shippers.

RIVERSIDE, Cal., March 6—The orange packing and shipping business in Riverside, and practically all over California, has ben at a standstill since th first day of March by rason of th tax-dadging tactics of the railroads and car line companies.

The law is that all property in California on the first Monday of March, save for certain exemptions, shall be subect to taxation in California and in the county in which the property is located.

The first of March is the height of the fruit shippings season and under ordinary conditions there would be thousands of refrigerator cars in the state on that date. On the first of this March not a car could be got for love or money. All had been hauled into Arizona and Nevada to escape the assessor.

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SERVANTS MAY GIVE STANFORD CLEWS

Police Seek Evidence to Support Murder Theory in Stories of Household Intrigue.

SAN FRANCISCO, March 9.—Although they still deem proof of murder inconclusive, police of this city are trying to discover a positive motive for the poisoning of Mrs. Stanford. With this end in view they are making a minute investigation of stories of household intrigues told by servants.

It is believed that among the stories of quarrels and "graft" hint of the motive for murder may be found. Albert Beverly, ex-butler, is said to have made a statement to the police that by means of "rake-downs" and commissions he "grafted" about $2100. A division of this sum is declared by him to have been made with another servant.

Reports from High Sheriff Henry of Honolulu, are that the inquest probably will be completed tomorrow. The high sheriff says he has traced the history of the bottle containing the bicarbonate of soda since it was packed in San Francisco, and he is positive poison was not put into the bottle in Honolulu. He is against the suicide theory.

A FATAL ERROR.

A man steps into your office, draws up his chair, and talks right into your face. His breath is offensive. Your only thought is how to get rid of him and his business. You cut him short with, "I am not interested."

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1360 Pairs Lace Curtains at Half Price

1360 pairs of Lace Curtains, bought from an eastern manufacturer, including Nottinghams, Scotch and Brussels Lace, Arabian and novelty Curtains. Some of them are slightly imperfect, but most of them are entirely perfect. All will go on sale Friday at 50c on the dollar.

220 pairs Nottingham Lace Curtains, good patterns, overlocked edge, regular price 50c, on sale Friday, a pair	25c
235 pairs Nottingham Lace Curtains, 3 yards long, well made, regular price $1.00; on sale Friday, a pair	50c
340 pairs Nottingham Lace Curtains, 3 and 3¼ yards long, extra wide, regular price $1.50 on sale Friday, a pair	75c
265 pairs Scotch Lace Curtains, 3½ yards long, 54 inches wide, good patterns, large variety; regular price $2.00, on sale Friday, a pair	98c
176 pairs Scotch Lace Curtains, 3½ yards long and up to 60 in. wide, in white or ecru; regular price $3.00; on sale Friday, a pair.	$1.50
124 pairs Cable Net, Brussels Lace and Arabian Lace Curtains, 3¼ yards long, extra wide; regular price $4.00; on sale Friday, a pair	$1.95

Suits, Jackets, Skirts and Waists.

See these special values we offer you Friday.

$15.00 Silk Shirtwaist Suits, made of fine silk taffeta, latest shirred yokes and skirts and embroidered waists, values everywhere, $15.00, special Friday... $10.00

See our great Broadcloth and and Panama Cloth Tailor-Made Suits; they are $17.50 values; Friday we sell them at... $10.00

Closing Out Tailor-Made Suits at... $6.95

Special for Friday in Skirts.

$6.00 Tailor-Made Walking Skirts, in finest broadcloth; a splendid skirt; Friday... $3.95

See special values in Skirts at $1.95, $2.95 and up to $10.00.

Spring Jackets

300 Spring Jackets, in fine covert cloth, latest sleeves; should be 5.00; Friday... $3.95

See our values in Covert Jackets at $4.50, $5.00, $7.95.

Waists. Waists.

$4.50 Silk Waists, in fine all-silk taffeta, large sleeves; plaits and tucks; Friday... $2.95

Special values in Silk Waists Friday at $4.50 and $4.95.

90c Calico Wrappers, Rriday... 49c

Corsets and Petticoats.

50c For $1.00 Batiste Corsets, made long waist, short hip and long hip gored; all sizes; Friday.

69c For $1.25 C. B. a la Spirite Corsets, gored, empire; French coutil; 69c.

75c For P. N. Batiste; habit hip, with double jaratelles attached; C. B. Corsets; French coutil; long hip; $1.50 value.

99c For $1.50 White Petticoats, umbrella, deep flounce, with tucked hemstitched lace and embroidery trimmed; a bargain.

$1.98 For $3.49 White Petticoats, wide, elaborately trimmed; flounces of embroidery, Point de Paris and Valenciennes laces; dust soiled.

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Twenty-five thousand yards washable Point de Paris, Torchons and other wash laces; also several lots manufacturer's trial strips of embroideries, tomorrow 1-5 to 1-4 of their actual cash value.

Torchon, Valenciennes, Point de Paris and Oriental Laces and Insertion, well worth 25c, price per yard, 10c and	5c
Lot of new Venise Band Cream White and Ecru, wide and narrow to match, some worth $1.00, price per yard, 75c, 50c, 35c, 25c, 19c 15c and	10c
75 pieces of all-over lace in Venise, Point de Paris, Valenciennes and Oriental, worth $1.50, price per yard, 85c, 69c, 50c, 35c and	25c
Thousands of yards of Hamburg and Swiss Embroidery 3 to 10 inches wide, worth 19c, per yard, 5c and	7½c
50 pieces of Corset Cover Embroidery, 18 inches wide, worth 35c, per yard	19c

New Basement Store

Great Piles of Remnants

All our odd lots to be sold tomorrow at less than the cost of production. Thousands of yards almost given away.

Remnants 15c Embroidered Dress Swiss Remnants 12½c Batiste Lawns Remnants 7½c Dress Prints Remnants 15c Voile Suitings Remnants Standard Apron Ginghams Remnants 5c Lining Cambric Remnants 10c Shrunk Canvas Facing Until all are sold, choice yard	2½c
Remnants 15c Corded Fleeced Waistings Remnants 12½c Yard Wide Shirting Percale Remnants 12½c Woven Madras, 32-inch wide Remnants 12½c Printed Batiste Remnants 8 1-3 Seersucker Ginghams Remnants 12½c Pink Chambrays Remnants Mercerized Sateens Spun Glass Lining Silesia Percaline, Etc., choice yard	5c

Pillow Cases, 45x36, heavy unbleached, hemmed; worth 10c	5c
Linings, 36-inch fine percaline linings in Remnants, imperfect; worth 15c if perfect	2½c
Sheets, 72x90, heavy bleached, hemmed, double bed sheets; worth 50c	35c
Pure Linen Cambric, 36-inch, fine, white linen cambric for fine underwear or white waists and dresses, worth 39c; special	25c
Hemstitched linen dresser or sideboard scarfs, 18x54, in plain and with drawn borders, worth 50c, 3 for $1.00, each	35c
Valenciennes, Point de Paris and Torchon Lace and Insertion, some worth 15c, per yard	5c
Embroidery Flouncing, Hamburg and Swiss, some as wide as 12 inches, worth 25c per yard	7½c
Remnants Wool Voiles and Etamine, regular price 39c, Friday at	19c

Great Sale of Silks! Silks! Silks!

35c White Wash China Silk, yard	19c
50c Black All-Silk Taffeta, yard	35c
65c Black Guaranteed Taffeta Silk, yard	39c
70c Black All-Silk Peau de Soie, yard	49c
70c 24-in. Black Satin Liberty, yard	49c
80c 24-in. Black Guaranteed Taffeta Silk, yard	57c
$1.00 27-in. All-Silk Black Taffeta, yard	73c
$1.50 yard-wide Black Taffeta Silk, yard	97c
$1.50 yard-wide Black Peau de Soie, yard	97c

Notions and Perfumery

10 papers Wire Hair Pins, value 10c, for	5c
Vaso Buttermilk Toilet Soap, 3 cakes to box, worth 39c box	15c
Curling Irons, value 5c	2c
Sachet Envelopes, best odor, value 10c, each	4c
1 dozen Corset Laces, 2½ yards long, regular value 25c, dozen	9c
Mennen's Violet Talcum Powder, value 25c, box	11c
Extract Witch Hazel, value 8 1-3c, per bottle	4c
20-Mule Team Borax, 10c package	5c
Stockinette Dress Shields, regular 12½c quality, pair	5c
Tubular Shoe Lace, 5-4 length, value 10c doz.	5c

Men's Shirts

Something unusual for us to buy seconds or damaged Shirts, but this lot we would have to show you where the imperfections are, and the price so low that we can sell you Men's Nice New Spring Style Shirts for less than

Half-Price

The lots are small, so come early and get first choice.

LOT 1—Men's Fine Madras Cloth Shirts; some one pair extra cuffs, some cuffs attached; lot fine Percale, collars and cuffs attached; lot Black Sateen, and several small lots of 75c and $1.00 grades; choice for... 35c

LOT 2—Lot fine Madras Cloth, in light or dark patterns; lot fine satin stripes, collars and cuffs attached; some lots of white and tan colored in different makes; worth up to $1.50; choice for... 49c

LOT 3—Lot fine Imported Madras Cloths, one pair extra cuffs; all neat, new Spring styles; imperfections very slight; regular $1.00 and $1.50 grades; choice for... 69c

50c All-Silk Foulards
At 9 A. M. for One-Half Hour

50c ALL-SILK FOULARDS—All neat, new polka dot designs, in golden and medium browns, myrtle green, ciel, cadet and navy blue, and black and white—special, yard... 25c

39c Satin Striped Challies
At 9 A. M. for One-Half Hour

Friday, at 9 o'clock, we will offer 50 pieces of 30-inch satin striped Challies, in solid colors and figures, all the newest designs of the season, worth 39c per yard—Friday, for half hour, at... 25c

85c 52-inch Colored and Black Mohairs
At 9:30 A. M.

Promptly on time 40 pieces more of those 52-inch Mohair Sicilians; rich, lustrous goods, for suits and skirts, in brown, navy blue and black; well worth 85c a yard; for one-half hour Friday morning... 44c

$1.00 All-Silk Crepe de Chine
At 10 A. M. for One-Half Hour

$1.00 ALL-SILK CREPE DE CHINE—For evening wear; beautiful, lustrous silk crepe fabric; elegant shades of golden, medium and dark brown, lilac, black, white, pink, Nile, grays, navy and national, special, yard, Friday... 44c

Boys' $3.00 Double-Breasted Suits
At 9:30 A. M. for One-Half Hour

We have 200 Boys' up-to-date desirable Suits, in double-breasted style, ages 8 to 16 years, and Norfolk style, with two rows brass buttons and belted, ages 3 to 8 years. They are of the best patterns and also navy blue—worth $2.50 and $3.00—for half hour... $1.25

25c Irish Linen Finished Suiting
At 9:30 A. M. for One-Half Hour

2000 yards genuine Irish Linen-Finished Suitings in solid colors, in all popular shades, light and dark blue, tan, brown, black, champagne, etc., in 2 to 10 yard lengths. These goods are nearly a yard wide, equal to the finest imported Linens, warranted fast colors; retailed at 25c yard; special half-hour sale, basement, yard... 7½c

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MRS. CHADWICK'S "SYSTEM" EXPOSED DURING HEARING

Two Letters Introduced at Trial Show Her Plan to Have Been to Borrow From Peter to Pay Borrowed Money Back to Paul.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

CLEVELAND, O., March 9.—When court convened this morning on the trial of Mrs. Cassie M. Chadwick, the alleged woman forger, the small room in which the trial is being held was packed to suffocation with those curious to get the first inkling of the woman's line of defense.

Two letters written by Mrs. Chadwick and one written by the late President Beckwith of the Oberlin bank, have become the strongest evidence in the case. They lay bare the whole scheme of the woman's system. It was to borrow here under some specious promise, and, when the obligation became due, to borrow there to meet it. A borrowing from Peter to pay borrowed money back to Paul.

She was scheming and planning all the time to keep herself afloat, and sending explicit instructions to her dupes as to just what they must do and say and how they must act. It was just what the spectators in the courtroom had been waiting for and despaired of getting.

The letters were addressed to Spear and Beckwith and said that Mr. Wuerst of Elyra, who held her note, was going to call on them the next day and that they should be surprised to see him. "So you better be surprised; if you don't say it you can look it," advised Cassie.

The crowd in the courtroom laughed mightily at this and nudged one another. Then came the other letter asking Spear to give her a certified check for $15,000 to put off Wuerst and Fay, and saying: "I send you a small commission for your kindness."

This made a profound impression on the jury and spectators alike, for it was the keynote to every transaction she had.

These letters, the certified checks bearing the signatures of Beckwith, Spear and the defendant, and the fact as asserted by the government that she never had a cent on deposit with the Citizens' National Bank of Oberlin, are depended upon to prove the charge of conspiracy. The checks, it is declared, are prima facie evidence and the letters clinch it.

Andrew Carnegie has never been mentioned in the case except during the examination of talesmen, nor is it likely he will be. The defense certainly does not want to open up that subject, and the government does not appear to need him as the case stands. "I don't think the government has made out a case," said Mr. Dawley, Mrs. Chadwick's attorney.

Former Judge Wing, also for the defense, said: "A good deal is being made of these letters, but why? Aren't they just about what any of us would write if we needed a loan badly? I don't think they will have much weight with the jury. As for the rest, there is very little in it. The government asserts that the discount entries on the journal are not credits. We say they are and will introduce testimony to show it."

The defense devoted the whole morning to breaking down the testimony of Receiver Lyon and trying to make him admit that Mrs. Chadwick has credit with the Oberlin bank.

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OLDEST STATESMAN OF SOUTH NOW GONE

Death of John S. Reagan Marks Passing of Unique Figure in Politics.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

NEW YORK, March 9.—"With the death of John S. Reagan of Texas, a figure of singular interest in national politics passes away," says the Tribune.

"To have held commissions under three separate flags, to have lived through three changes of allegience, to have completed under the presidency of Benjamin Harrison a congressional service begun under the presidency of James Buchanan—that is a record for variety and continuity paralleled in the experience of few American statesmen.

"Mr. Reagan's death breaks one of the few remaining links between the older and the newer generation of Southern leaders. He was the last survivor of President Davis' two cabinets. He was one of the few Southerners left who sat in the provisional Confederate Congress. He had outlived parctically all his Southern associates in the two Federal congresses preceding secession.

Of all that brilliant and turbulent company of southern statemen none remain in either House or Senate. Probably none survive, even in retirement.

Of the Texas statesman's colleagues in the civil or military service of the Confederacy many remain. But their number is lessening yearly. It is getting easier and easier to count the veterans of this class still in harness in national politics.

"George G. Vest, who retired from the Senate March 3, 1903,, and who died last year, was a senator in the Confederate Congress. His colleague, Francis M. Cockrell, whose fifth successive term in that body ended last Saturday, and who has now been appointed by President Roosevelt an interstate commerce commissioner, was a major-general in the Confederate army.

"There are still left in the upper branch of Congress these Confederate officers: John T. Morgan and Edmund W. Pettus of Alabama, both brigadier generals; James H. Berry of Arkansas, badly wounded at Corinth while serving as a lieutenant; Stephen R. Mallory and James P. Taliaferro of Florida, both of whom enlisted as boys in the Army of Northern Virginia; Augustus O. Bacon of Georgia, captain of the same army; James C. Blackburn and James D. McCreary of Kentucky, who served with the western forces; Samuel D. McEnery of Louisiana, a former lieutenant; Hernando DeSoto Money and A. J. McLaurin of Mississippi, both privates; William B. Bate of Tennessee, a major general, and John W. Daniel of Virginia, a major.

"Of the 20 seats from the 13 southern states—Kentucky and Missouri included—only thirteen are now filled by men who saw service under the stars and bars. In the House of Representatives the proportion of veterans is naturally much smaller. Of the 127 Representatives from these states sitting in the last Congress, only 15 had records as Confederate soldiers.

"Time is sadly thinning the ranks of the southern leaders who bore an active part in the great struggle from 1861 to 1865. But Judge Reagan's career in politics antedated both the War of the Rebellion and the War with Mexico, and, in this respect, it represented a remarkable—almost unique—survival."

FARMER'S FIDDLE A "STRAD"

Old Heirloom Found to Be a Priceless Instrument Made by Stradivarius.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

DELEWARE, March 9.—Andrew Decker of Ostrander, a farmer, came to this city carrying under his arm an old violin which he took to a local musician who, on examining the instrument, discovered it to be a real "Strad."

The violin bears the following inscription: "Antonius Stradivarius, Crenonensis, Faciebat, Anno, 1721," and is thought to be of fabulous value. The instrument has been in the Decker family for five generations and until today it was not known that it was worth more than an ordinary fiddle.

Last week a stranger called at the Decker home and offered the owner $25 for the violin. For the simple reason that it was a heirloom Decker refused to sell.

When offered $150 he became suspicious and told the man he would sell it at no price.

When told today that he had an instrument worth thousands he wrapped it in a grain sack and started back home.

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TO SEE LOVED ONES AFTER THIRTY YEARS

Isaac B. Goodloe, Believed Buried in Arizona, Found to Be Miner in Idaho.

The records of the pension office at Washington have developed many interesting romances, and one tells of the returning of Isaac Burton Goodloe and his wife and son, who have been separated for more than 30 years. Mrs. Goodloe thought Mr. Goodloe was dead until informed otherwise by the pension commissioner.

Mr. Goodloe is now a prosperous miner at Salubria, Idaho. His wife is in St. Louis with her son, J. H. Goodloe. Mrs. Goodloe is staying with her sister, Mrs. Bintliff, at 5540 Clemens avenue. She said Thursday morning that Mr. Goodloe, who is now 72 years of age, is not in the best of health, but has made all arrangements to rejoin her and his son in St. Louis by April 1.

When Mrs. Goodloe filed an application for a pension she was under the impression that Mr. Goodloe had died in Arizona many years ago. All his family thought likewise. Joseph B. Goodloe, a brother, is an inmate of the Soldiers' Home at Danville, Ill. Mrs. Goodloe and her husband's relatives lost all trace of Isaac Burton Goodloe about 1880. He had gone West with the regular army at the conclusion of the civil war and corresponded with his wife and relatives until about 25 years ago.

When his brother, Joseph B. Goodloe, went West in search of him, he learned that a man answering to the name and description of his brother Isaac had been killed in a quarrel over a mining claim in Arizona. The sheriff satisfied Joseph Goodloe that the dead man was his brother, and he so reported to the wife and relatives in Illinois.

When Mrs. Goodloe filed her pension claim she turned the facts in the case over to the pension agent at Kankakee, Ill., where she and her son were living at the time. Shortly afterwards the Kankakee agent notified Mrs. Goodloe that Isaac Burton Goodloe, who had served in the Eighteenth Illinois, was already on the pension payroll, and was living in Idaho.

Mrs. Goodloe and her son immediately wrote to the Idaho Isaac Burton Goodloe, who satisfied them at once that he was the long-lost father and husband.

Busy Bee Bargain Day tomorrow. Broadway Mixture, one-half chocolates, 15 cents pound.

FREEZES OUT THE FIRE

Mountain Lake Chief Has a New Preparation for Fighting Flames.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

MOUNTAIN LAKE, Minn., March 9.—A fire which broke out here last week during the extreme cold weather proved beyond question the efficacy of cold in freeing out fire. With the thermometer 25 below zero and a terrific blizzard raging the village was alarmed by a fire call from the north end.

Chief Worden and his fire laddies rushed to the scene.

The chief had long been experimenting on freezing mixtures and at this fire his scientific knowledge, coolness and foresight prevented a disastrous conflagration.

One hose was put to playing the mixture upon the building and another water. The mixture and outside temperature easily reduced the temperature of the water against the building to a point 50 or 60 degrees below zero. This immediately froze against the building, soon converting it into an airtight palace and the flames were left to suffocate as any fire will do when air is wanting.

The house was broken into today and, as expected, the fire was found wholly extinguished. The chief is receiving offers for the patent right of the mixture and it is learned that an offer of $50,000 has been refused.

Exposition Must Pay Taxes.

The World's Fair company must pay the $7000 taxes assessed on land held under lease, according to an opinion by Assistant Prosecuting Attorney J. C. Kiskaddon of St. Louis County, filed in the County court Wednesday. Mr. Kiskaddon holds that the Exposition company is not exempt from taxation on its claim of being an educational society, and that the lien on the property must be held until all claims for taxes are satisfied. He says the collector will be liable for the amount of taxes unless he makes an effort to collect from the Exposition company.

Wanted, a Church for Suburb.

In order to establish the location of the Epworth Hotel in what is known under the law as a "village," and thereby provide a firmer foundation for suits against the company, creditors of the Epworth may soon engage a preacher and open in Rosedale Heights. Their claims aggregate $19,712.59 and 11 mechanics' lien suits have been filed against the hotel company. In order to recover under the lien law, the hotel creditors must show that the hotel exists in a village, and the law and the dictionary agree that a village is a number of houses and a church.

Level, Straight and Comfortable.

The roads of the New York Central Lines, over which run hourly trains, occupy the natural highway between the East and West. A water level for 1000 miles between Chicago and New York along the shore of Lake Erie and Lake Michigan, through the Mohawk valley and beside the Hudson river. A route level and straight and offering comforts and conveniences unsurpassed.

Send a 2-cent stamp to George H. Daniels, General Passenger Agent, Grand Central Station, New York, for a copy of the Illustrated Catalogue of the New York Central's "Four-Track Series."

Laughlin's Restaurant,

Corner Seventh and Locust streets, has made special arrangements for taking care of persons attending "Parsifal."

CONVICTED AFTER 20 YEARS

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

BRYAN, O., March 9.—George E. Letcher was tonight found guilty of arson committed twenty years ago.

At the time the crime was committed, Letcher was a member of a gang of fire insurance swindlers operating in this part of the country. Later he went to California and engaged successfully in legitimate business.

When the indictment of the old members of the gang here began, Letcher refused to be extradited. Two officers went to California from this state and taking Letcher from church kidnaped him and brought him back here for trial.

Busy Bee Bargain Day tomorrow. Broadway Mixture, one-half chocolates, 15 cents pound.

Mere Speculation.

"I see that a Boston paper says that if George Washington had been alive he would have visited the dog show."

"I suppose he would have taken his hatchet along and tried it on the bark."

Great March Sale of Carpets, Furniture, Draperies, Etc.

We must make room for our new Spring stock, which is just arriving. Every article for the house is here marked at prices that will suit your pocketbook. Never before has staple line of Furniture, Carpets, Rugs, Lace Curtains, Linoleums, Oilcloths, etc., etc., been so terribly slaughtered as you will find here Friday. So avail yourself of this golden opportunity while it lasts. Read every item below as every one means a saving of dollars to you.

$15.00 Brussels Rugs room size	$8.00
$20.00 Velvet Rugs, room size	$15.00
$7.50 Ingrain Rugs, room size	$3.98
$80.00 Axminster Rugs, 10½x12 feet	$21.75
$35.00 Velevt and Axminster Rugs	$24.98
$45.00 Seamless Velvet Rugs	$27.50
$15.00 Smyrna Rugs, 9x12	$9.98
$2.00 Smyrna Rugs, 30x60	98c
$5.00 Axminster Rugs, 27x63	$1.98
$7.50 Axminster Rugs, 36x72	$3.98
25c Ingrain Carpet, a yard	15c
75c All-Wool Carpet, a yard	39c
65c Brussels Carpet, a yard	35c
30c Japanese Matting Remnants, a yard	10c
25c Floor Oilcloth Remnants, a yard	10c
40c Floor Oilcloth, a yard	19c
35c China Matting, a yard	14c
40c Japanese Matting, a yard	19c
45c Floor Oilcloth, a yard	29c
65c Floor Linoleum remnants, a yard	30c
10c Curtain Rods, complete	3c
30c Window Shades	5c
10c Stair Oilcloths, a yard	5c
15c Drapery Swiss, a yard	5c
25c Silkoline, a yard	10c
75c Curtain Ends, each	15c
35c Matting Rugs	3c
$2.00 Rope Portieres	98c
$3.00 Tapestry Portieres, each	98c
75c Hassocks	25c
$3.00 Coil Wire Springs	$1.75
$3.50 Rocking Chairs, cobbler seat	$1.98
$2.00 Dining Room Chairs	98c
$3.50 Gasoline Stoves, two burners	$1.98
$5.00 Iron Folding Beds	$2.98
$12.50 Dressers, solid oak	$8.98
$13.50 Chiffoniers with large mirror	$9.98
$3.00 Cottop Top Mattress	$1.98
$3.50 Folding Go-Carts	$1.98
$2.00 Oil Stoves, two burners	98c

60c Galvanized Wash Tub, large size, special for Friday, while they last.......... 35c

Friday Specials

Main Floor.

Bleached Huck Towels, while they last, each	4c
10c **White Goods**—Nainsook checks, India Lawns, etc., per yd.	5½c
25c **Wool Dress Goods**, in short lengths, to close out, per yard	10c
50c **Waist Patterns**—Embroidered Crepons and Swisses—Mercerized Ginghams, each	25c
27-inch Silk Crepe de Chine, all shades; value 50c; per yard, only	25c
49c **Fancy Silks**, newest designs, per yard, only	29c
Veilings—2000 yards of fancy mesh Face Veiling; 25c value; Friday, per yard	10c
Laces—300 pieces of Torchon Medici Wash Laces; 10c value; special	5c
25c **Silk and Lace Collars**, assorted colors; each	15c
$2.00 **Men's Satin Calf Shoes**—a bargain at	$1.25
Misses' Vici Kid Shoes—Splendid Shoe for wear; special, per pair	87c

Wall Paper.

New Designs. New Colorings.

Tapestries worth from 25c to $1.00 per roll for 40c, 25c and	10c
Fine Parlor Papers, worth from 25c to 50c, for	10c
Glimmer Paper in designs and colorings to suit any room, worth from 8c to 15c, for	5c
30-Inch Ingrains, with fine applique friezes or moire ceiling to match, at	7½c
Florals and Plain Stripes, the very newest and a large variety. Our stock is too large and will close them out at, per roll	5c
A good line of white blank paper at, per roll	1c

We will do your work at very low price.

Basement Specials

IN THE MORNING.

9 O'Clock Special

Sheets—Extra good quality 72x90 unbleached Sheets with wide hem; worth 55c; Friday for.......... 29c

Remnants 8 1-3c Ticking for	3½c
Remnants 10c Cambric and Muslin	5c
Remnants 5c Muslin, 8 to 10 o'clock	2½c
Remnants 5c Comfort Calico	3½c
Remnants 5c Apron Gingham	3½c
Cotton Batting—10c roll, Friday, in basement	5c
Shaker Flannel—7½c quality in 10-yard lengths, Friday, in basement	3½c
Bed Spreads—75c slightly soiled Bed Spreads, in basement	35c
Shirts—75c value in Men's Percale Shirts, in basement	19c
Handkerchiefs—7½c value in plain white Handkerchiefs, in basement	2c
Linings—Woods & Slater's Dress Linings, 10c quality for	1¾c
Laces—10c grade of Laces, Friday, in basement, for	2½c
Shoes—Ladies' and Misses' sample Shoes, worth $2.00 for, per pair	25c

A fancy shape decorated Slop jar, with bail and lid, worth 98c, special for Friday 59c

Schaper Bros.

ST. LOUIS CHEAPEST STORE

BROADWAY, AND FRANKLIN AVE.

SPECIAL SALE OF NEW SPRING GARMENTS

$15 Silk Suits, SPECIAL $8.95

Made of good quality taffeta silk, in pretty styles and all colors, special Friday $8.95

$6 Covert Coats, $2.98

Made in the 21-inch length collarless style, leg-o'-mutton sleeves, with cuffs lined throughout, Special for $2.98

At $7.50 we're showing new 1905 Cravenette Raincoats (just the thing for this kind of weather); a special bargain Friday at $7.50

SHIRT WAIST SALE

A grand stock of Jap Silk Waists, black and white, plaited, shirred and lace effects, worth up to $4.00; you save money buying from us; Friday $1.98

98c is the price we have placed on a lot of Waists that are worth $2.50. They are perfectly new, champagne color only, pretty satin finished; stripe, pleated effect, with large sleeve, special for Friday 98c

BIJOU MUSIC ROOM

FRIDAY AND SATURDAY.

15c Just for Fun; Good Bye, Little Girl; Bessie; Won't You Fondle Me; Ruth; I Was Only Fooling; Josephine, My Indian Queen; In the Shade of the Old Apple Tree; Coax Me and 50 others.

5c Fifth Nocturne; Calvary (3 keys); Dream of Paradise (2 keys); Palms (2 keys); Last Hope and 50 other classics.

CONCERT DAYS—Friday and Saturday. O. H. Blanchard, A. J. Ogle, Harvey Vernon.

Both phones—Main 4415; B939.

Main floor—rear.

MEN'S FURNISHING GOODS

SIX GREAT SPECIALS.

Overalls for men, made of blue denim, with or without bib, sold regularly for 50c—special for Friday only	29c
Men's Shirts in madras and percales, among the lot you will find shirts that have sold regularly for $1.00 and $1.50—special for Friday only	69c
Boys' School Shirts in all sizes and patterns, regular 50c value—special for Friday only	25c
At last we have found something that will surprise everybody in suspenders, sold regularly for 25c—special for Friday only	11c
The most exclusive designs in men's neckwear, in both light and dark effects, that sold regularly for 50c—special Friday only	23c
Collars, 4-ply linen, slightly soiled, in all styles and sizes; regular 15c value—special for Friday only—or 4 for 25c	7c

A 75c Ironing Board, 5-foot size, made of hardwood and smoothly finished, for Friday special ... 39c

Notion Bargains

(Main Floor, Aisle 6.)

6c Clinton Safety Pins, 12 to a card	1c
5c Finishing Braid	1½c
8c Bone Hair Pins, per doz.	4c
3c Darning Cotton, slightly soiled	1c
5c Envelopes, good quality	2½c
5c Darning Eggs, enameled	2c

Pearl Buttons

1000 gross of **Pure White Pearl Buttons**, all staple sizes, on silver cards; worth 8c; Friday, from 9 to 12, per dozen.......... 1c

$3 Silk Umbrellas for $1.00

200 Very Fine Silk Umbrellas, case and tassel, steel rod, paragon frame, natural wood, horn and silver-mounted handles. Bargain at $3.00. Friday $1.00

Snowberry Soap

Friday, 8 to 10, we will sell large cake of Snowberry Soap; always sold at 5c, for only.......... 3c

CHILDREN'S DRESSES

Second Floor.

A sample lot of Children's Dresses, made of lawns and dimities, white or colors; sizes up to 6 years; trimmed with lace and embroidery; worth 69c, Friday	35c
Children's Embroidery Trimmed Petticoats, our 49c values, slightly soiled; Friday	23c
Special!—Our $4.25 Taffeta Silk Petticoat, black and colors; will be sold Friday for	$2.98
Women's Muslin Petticoats, trimmed with lace and embroidery, slightly soiled; worth 75c; Friday	25c

Basement Specials

IN THE AFTERNOON.

3 O'Clock Special

Zephyr Gingham—Friday we place on sale one case of fine Striped and Checked Zephyr Gingham, 12½c quality; at 3 o'clock, per yard 6c

Toweling—10c German Linen, red bordered, 18 inches wide; 3 to 4; in basement	5c
Sateens—Fancy Figured and Striped Sateens, 19c quality, in basement	10c
Fleece-Lined Flannelette—10c quality, all colors, in basement	5c
Comforts—$3.98 American Sateen-Covered Comforts, full size, 72 x80, in basement	$1.98
Wrappers—98c Ladies' Percale Wrappers, with deep flounce, in basement for	54c
50c Value in Men's Balbriggan Underwear, in basement	15c
Elder Flower Soap—5c Toilet Soap, in basement	1c
Sheets—One case 81x90 Bleached Bed Sheets, seamless; these sheets are remarkably cheap at 55c, Friday, while they last	45c

8 to 12

Blankets—50c Gray Cotton Blankets, in basement, each..... 15c

From 8 to 10

Ladies' Waists—98c Ladies' Waists, in very neat patterns, in basement for.......... 19c

Incandescent Gas Light, complete with burner, chimney, shade and high-grade mantle; worth 69c; special, Friday 35c

One of 1,500,000!

Mrs. Alderman is only one of the many hundreds of thousands of women to whom Wine of Cardui has proven a blessing. Over 1,500,000 suffering women have had the same experience she has had with this wonderful tonic. Wine of Cardui cures disordered menstruation, bearing down pains and all the functional weakness of women. It is a splendid female tonic that will bring grateful relief to any sufferer who takes it. All druggists sell $1.00 bottles.

WINE OF CARDUI

No. 409 McGee St., KANSAS CITY, MO., Nov. 30, 1903.

Wine of Cardui has proven a blessing beyond compare to me. I was troubled with terrible pains at my menstrual periods before my marriage, and I found that after catching a bad cold and being exposed to the wet I grew worse and the doctor said I had inflammation of the womb. I doctored for this nearly three years when I married. Before my baby came I was in constant pain, and hearing of the merits of Wine of Cardui, I took it for two weeks, when to my joy I found my general health improve very greatly. I kept taking it until my little daughter came, and I was much pleased to find parturition almost painless. I felt so well that in ten days I was up again attending to my household duties, feeling better than I had for ten years. Since that time I have enjoyed perfect health. My husband and I both thank you a thousand times for what Wine of Cardui has done for me. Most heartily do I endorse Wine of Cardui.

Alice Alderman

SECRETARY, OSCEOLA LITERARY CLUB.

Mrs. Alice Alderman

NOTHING SMALL ABOUT THIS TREE

Washington Sapling, 30 Feet in Diameter, Will Be Sent to Portland Fair.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

SEATTLE, Wash., March —.—The attention of Commissioner Johnson will be called to a monarch of the forest up in Clallam County that should be placed on exhibition at the Lewis and Clark exposition at Portland. Timber cruisers who have tramped the woods for years pronounce this giant spruce the daddy of all he trees in this section.

N. C. Christensen has seen this big pruce tree. He says he and others stepped round the base of it, and estimated that it s about 30 feet in diameter. It is 100 feet o the first limb on this big tree, and the lan is to send a log 100 feet long to Portland to show the visitors from the East hat this country can produce in the way f big trees. As such a log could not be andled by railroad, it is planned to cut he big tree, saw off a log 100 feet long, ump it into the water and tow it around o Portland.

Washington sent a stick 110 feet long o the Chicago Fair, but in diameter it as a mere toothpick compared to this big pruce tree in Clallam County. A log 100 et long and thirty feet across at the butt ould certainly attract attention.

Mr. Christensen also knows of a big fir ree near Green River Hot Springs that ould make a good showing in any timber xhibit. This fir measures about 20 et across at the butt, and runs up hundreds of feet into the air. It would be harder matter to get this log out than t would to ship the Clallam county spruce o Portland.

An old timber cruiser who saw the big pruce tree in Clallam County says it is e largest tree he ever saw in this section, and says it compares very favorably s to size with some of the giant redwoods f California. The commissioners for ashington will probably take up the estion of getting out the big trees for e Washington exhibit at the Portland ir.

COURT LIKE SCENE OF CHINESE OPERA

Half Hundred Celestials Charged With Playing Fan Tan Give Bizarre Explanations.

CHECKAHS LIKE 'MELICANS'

"Sewing Circle, Eh?" Queried Judge Tracy, Gazing at Boxes of Shirt Buttons.

On the general principle that a Chinaman's testimony with regard to a fantan game in which he was engaged is not to be taken seriously, Judge Tracey, in the City Hall police court, Thursday, fined 18 Celestials $10 each for being members of a party arrested by a squad of police under Sergt. Nolte in Hop alley, last Sunday night.

Thirty were discharged, because, while the court was morally convinced that they were guilty, the evidence was lacking.

Judge Tracey's court looked like the chorus in "San Toy." The benches were full of Chinamen, in holiday garb for the occasion. There were bright-green jackets, pale-blue blouses, delicate lavender shirtwaists and pink bloomers on tall, short, fat, lean and just plain Chinamen. Some had queues and some wore their hair roached, with a nimbus of blue skin where their heads had been freshly shaved.

When the court marshal began to call the names of the defendants in the first trial squad of 18 he got mixed and finally was compelled to resort to the first thing that came to mind. It made no difference to the Chinamen. They filed up as they sat on the benches, answering to such names as Ah Gee, Hully Gee, Chop Suey, etc. Evidently all names look alike to a Chinaman in a police court.

Sergt. Nolte described the raid on the fantan game, and testified that the 18 players stood around a table covered with matting; that each had in front of him a narrow red ticket about three inches long, on which his money was placed, and that Sam Lee was conducting the game.

Sergt. Nolte was requested to describe the game of fantan, which he did as follows:

Describes Fan-Tan.

"Fantan is played with buttons, and any number of players may engage. The dealer marks a square on the table and marks each side of it with a number, one to four. He has a pile of buttons over which he places a shallow brass cup, and draws it away from the pile with a certain number of buttons beneath it.

"The players put their money on any side of the square they choose. When all bets are up the conductor lifts the cup and with a flat rod curved at the end takes four buttons away from the pile. He continues to remove four buttons until four or less remain. The number remaining indicates the winning number on the square.

"If two buttons remain all who bet on the two side of the square get all the money lost, proportionately to the amount they bet, less 10 per cent, which goes to the conductor. Sometimes brass discs, each with a square hole in the center, called cheen, are used instead of buttons. That is all there is to the game."

Sergeant Nolte was asked if he could separate from the huddle of 18 Chinamen Sam Lee, the conductor. He picked out an intelligent looking young Chinaman whose queue has been sacrified to modern civilization. Lee was called to the stand.

"Can you speak English?" he was asked.

"No, sir!" he replied.

Big Jim, a Chinaman, and the reputed owner of the raided game, was called to interpret. Big Jim is more than 6 feet tall and slender as a lily, the lily in all its glory was not attired like Big Jim.

"Ask him if he was playing fan tan last Sunday night, as charged," said the city attorney.

"Oolong chow suey fow yap sing wowwow bing bang?" gurgled Big Jim, shaking his head violently.

"Goo gong fat yip sing song!" responded Sam Lee.

"Him say he no playee fan tan Sun'ay night. He allee same goo' boy. Go Sun'ay school, learn play allee same Clistian boy. Sometime mebbe he play checkahs fo' fun like lil' Melican childs." The expression of ineffable purity on Sam Lee's countenance affected the spectators.

"Ask him what those red slips are for."

The question and answer in Chinese:

Translation—"Him say them allee same like meal tlicket, goo' fo' one cup tea."

This was the best the city could get out of Sam Lee. The next witness was Ah Sam, in pale blue silk blouse, his hair roached in front like a polo pony and a queue as long and thick as a policeman's night stick. Ah Sam was the swell of the lot. As he ascended the witness stand he displayed light blue silk stockings above a pair of thick soled shoes embroidered in gold roses against a scarlet sunset.

Bland Ah Sam.

Ah Sam could not speak English, and Big Jim asked him the usual questions as to whether he played fan tan or saw the game in progress. Here Sam tipped his hand, so to speak, by replying in good Chinatown English that he was too good and pure to know anything about such an evil pursuit as the white shirt button game.

"Then what was this brass cup used for?" asked the city attorney.

"O thas?" said Ah Sam with a bland smile. "Thas wha' is put top side tea cup allee same make tea cook—sabe?"

The court "sabed," and disgustedly ordered Ah Sam back to the rabble.

The result was the same with several others. Every one told the same story. They had dropped in to speak to a friend, or had just come from Sunday school and had come for a quiet game of checkers before attending the evening service in some mission or other.

The only one who really seemed to fully enjoy the situation and appreciate its humors was Jeu Suey.

The following dialogue ensued between the cheerful Jeu Suey and the city attorney:

"What's your name?"

"Jeu Suey."

"Any relation to Chop Suey?"

"Cousin."

"What's your business?"

"Laun'ly."

"Ever play fantan?"

"Lil, sometime when I live China."

"Did you play last Sunday night?"

"Not me."

"Well, what were the others playing?"

"Mebbe so some play checkahs, mebbe so some play ole maid. I likee no play. Me bus'ness man."

"Then what were all these shirt buttons doing on the table?" (Indicating four cigar boxes full of them.)

"O, thos buttons? (Very much interested. Looking at them intently. "Allee same sew buttons on shirt—sabe?"

"So it was a sort of sewing circle that was in progress, not a fantan game?" (Interjected by Judge Tracy.)

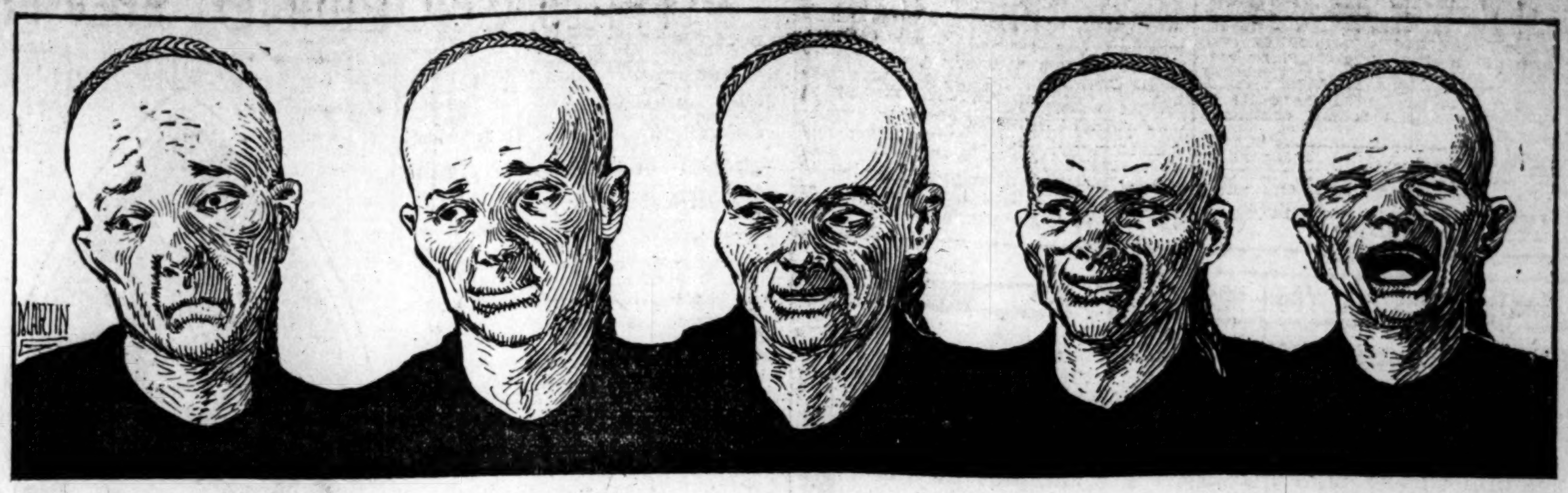
"Was light, sewing circle! China boy like spend Sun'ay night sewing buttons on shirt, ha, ha!"

Jeu Suey threw back his head and his smile rivaled that of Jimmy Powers in "San Toy" in breadth, depth and capacity.

"That's sufficient," said Judge Tracy. "I do not believe the evidence of a Chinaman under these circumstances is credible. I fine each of them $10."

Huddled like a flock of sheep they toddled off to the holdover until Big Jim could execute bonds for their release under appeal.

How Jeu Suey Did **Not** *Tell in Police Court of Fantan Game*



"Your business?"
"Laun'ly."

"Did you play fantan?"
"Not me."

"What did the others play?"
"Some play checkers."

"Checkers? Well what were these buttons for."
"All same sew on shirt."

"So this was a sewing circle, eh?"
"Yes, thas light, sewing circle, ha! ha!"

MANGLED TREATY IS RECOMMENDED

Dominican Agreement Goes Back to Senate So Changed as to Be Scarcely Recognizable.

WASHINGTON, March 9.—The Senate committee on foreign relations today agreed to report favorably the San Domingo treaty, so much amended, however, as to be hardly recognizable.

The vote was on party lines, every Republican voting for the treaty and every Democrat against it.

All members of the committee were present and the vote stood: For the treaty—Cullom, Frye, Lodge, Clark of Wyoming, Foraker, Spooner and Kean. Against the treaty—Morgan, Bacon, Money, Clark of Montana and McCreary.

There is one vacancy on the committee caused by the election of Senator Fairbanks to the vice-presidency.

PRUDENT HOUSEKEEPERS

Will read the "Ready-to-Wear" bargains in FRIDAY'S POST-DISPATCH.

Freed From Theft Charge.

A nolle pros was entered Thursday in the case of Mrs. Ida Morgenier, charged with the theft of $150 of diamonds and jewelry from her mother, Mrs. Ida Schuetz of 5509 Alaska avenue. Mrs. Morgenier was arrested at St. Augustine, Fla., and brought back to St. Louis.

Imperial Cocoanut Candy 10 cents per pound Friday. Imperial, 518 Washington avenue.

Nearly a Lie.

From the Baltimore American.

"Good bordig," said the boarder with a bad cold.

"What!" cried the other boarders in surprise and also in unison, as they desisted from their burned oatmeal.

Clearing his throat and blowing his nose vigorously, the boarder with the bad cold explained, somewhat wearily, that he had merely attempted to pass the time of day.

Whereupon the other boarders apologized, saying:

"We thought you said 'good morning.'"

FRIDAY AND SATURDAY BARGAINS

CARPETS. CURTAINS and RUGS

Our stock of Floor Coverings and Window Furnishings is complete. The newest Ideas of the most celebrated designers and colorers are on view. Every quality manufactured is represented. Some English and French styles just received are very beautiful.

A stock as large as we represent in the different departments necessarily contains some goods carried from past seasons. These, while desirable from quality, pattern and color point of view, cannot be duplicated, and to induce immediate sales, we have cut the price on many of them below cost to manufacture.

CARPETS.

Good Tapestry Brussels Carpets at	52½c	Reduced from 70c.
Best Brussels Carpets at	62½c	Reduced from 80c.
Royal Velvet Carpets at	77½c	Reduced from $1.00.
Genuine Axminster Carpets at	92½c	Reduced from $1.20.
Royal Axminster Carpets at	$1.02½	Reduced from $1.30.
Best Axminster Carpets at	$1.40	Reduced from $1.85.

CURTAINS.

Cable Net and Nottingham Curtains at	$3.25 pair	Formerly $4.50.
Figured or Bordered Tapestry Curtains at	$4.50 pair	Formerly $6.50.
Real Battenberg Bed Sets at	$6.25	Reduced from $9.00.
Honiton and Irish Point Curtains at	$7.50	Reduced from $10.00.
Rich Heavy Tapestry Portieres at	$10.00 per pair	Formerly $18.00.
Very beautiful Lace Curtains at	$12.50 per pair	Formerly $18.00.

RUGS.

Room-size Brussels Rugs at	$9.35	Former Price $13.75.
Room-size Best Brussels Rugs at	$10.85	Former price $14.50.
Room-size Woven Rugs at	$14.85	Former price $17.50.
Room-size Woven Velvet Rugs at	$19.75	Former price $24.00.
Room-size Royal Wilton Rugs at	$24.75	Former price $31.00.
Room-size Axminster Rugs at	$20.75	Former price $27.50.

NOTE We invite you to visit our "Art Rooms," recently enlarged and improved. They contain an unsurpassed collection of Electric and Gas Fixtures, Lamps, Andirons, Bric-a-Brac of innumerable variety, Special Pieces of Art Furniture, etc., indeed a beautiful Exhibition of the most unique productions.

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2—it has a single scale and the swinging platen.

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6—the type can be cleaned automatically with a circular brush, saving time and soiled fingers.

7—the carriage is ball-bearing and frictionless, making it the stillest typewriter in the world.

8—it has the quickest and most complete two-color ribbon device.

9—it is built by the inventor, built as a machine, built for perfect legibility and lasting longevity.

There are nine provable reasons why the

Smith Premier Typewriter

will convince the unprejudiced investigator.

THE KNOX HAT DAY

FRIDAY—MARCH—TENTH

Know all men that we are appointed St. Louis agents for the world renowned KNOX HATS for men.

Needless to use words of encomium; in all metropolitan cities of the world the KNOX Hats are established as the finest qualities obtainable and the authority for styles.

The opening is tomorrow—March 10.

Gentlemen will note this as the day which marks the change to Spring attire.

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Humors Cured

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POST-OFFICE CHANGES LIKELY

Senator Cullom Urges President to Appoint Chicago Man as Fourth Assistant.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

WASHINGTON, March 9.—Senator Cullom urged the President today to appoint William G. Edens of Chicago fourth assistant postmaster-general. Mr. Edens has other influential backers and now is regarded as the leading candidate. He formerly was assistant superintendent of the rural free delivery service under A. W. Machen. Later he was transferred to the Chicago office.

Jeremiah Matthews of Indiana, private secretary to Vice-President Fairbanks, is said to have declined the fourth assistant postmaster-generalship.

William S. Hallenberger, who has been second assistant postmaster-general for eight years, probably will be asked to resign to make a place for a younger man.

Out of Work, He Sought Death.

Robert Williams, aged 44, of 1020 Rutger street, an embalmer, attempted to take his own life Wednesday evening, by cutting his throat with a knife. Despondency resulting from inability to obtain employment is said to have been the cause of his act. The wound is not considered fatal.

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BOOKMAKING KING INDICTED.

Grandjury Returns True Bill Against "Jim" O'Leary.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

CHICAGO, March 9.—The DuPage County grandury has indicted "Jim" O'Leary, king of western bookmakers, and twenty of his assistants. O'Leary has been conducting a mammoth poolroom in DuPage County, just outside the city limits.

The western turf war hostilities and threatened action by the attorney general of the state caused the downfall of O'Leary. Jail or penitentiary sentence or fine may be inflicted upon conviction.

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Smyrna Rugs, 9x12 ft., sale price,	16.85
Axminster Rugs, 6x9 ft., sale price,	14.75
Wilton Velvet Rugs, 4.6x7.6, sale price	9.80
Wilton Velvet Rugs, 8.3x10.6, sale price	21.75
Axminster Rugs, 8.3x10.6, sale price	17.65
Axminster Rugs, 9x12 feet, sale price	21.50
Wilton Velvet Rugs, 9x12 feet, sale price	27.50

IRON BEDS, (see above illustration), extra heavy posts, brass rods and trimmings head and foot, heavy baked on enamel, The manufacturer took pride in these samples. They go at....... **3.65**

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16 Library Cases, samples, at	8.75	10 Sample Tabourettes at	3.50	12 China Closets, samples, at	24.50
5 Library Cases, samples, at	17.50	13 Sample Pedestals at	4.75	10 China Closets, samples, at	32.60
11 Combination Bookcases and Desks	11.50	9 Music Cabinets, samples	4.50	10 Buffets, samples, at	17.50
5 Combination Bookcases and Desks	21.75	8 Music Cabinets, samples	10.50	5 Buffets, samples at	25.60
12 Ladies' Writing Desks at	5.60	12 Parlor Cabinets	8.50		
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Emma Helfrich and Frederick Beckmann, Deaf Mutes, Wed, Brother of Bride Interpreting for Officiating Priest.

Father Timothy Manglen of St. Anthony's Church, at Meramec and Compton avenues, conducted the service Tuesday afternoon that made Miss Emma Helfriech of 3428 Gasconade street Mrs. Frederick Beckmann, through an interpreter in the deaf mute language, the contracting parties being both deaf mutes. The groomsmen, Mr. Anton Helfrich, brother of the bride, was the interpreter, and while he is not a deaf mute himself he is an expert in the manual.

MR AND MRS FREDERICK BECKMANN

The wedding was followed by a supper at the home of the bride's mother for the immediate families only, after which the couple departed for their honeymoon in a shower of rice. They will reside for the present at 3428 Gasconade street.

Mr. and Mrs. Beckmann are members of the St. Louis Deaf Mutes Club, and it was under the auspices of the club that they first met seven years ago. This club is maintained to bring together deaf mutes in the city for social purposes. It introduces newly arrived mutes to one another, and gives dancing parties and entertainments, and forms a society for the general increase of sociability among such as cannot enjoy general society. Among its members are many cultivated persons, and the standard of education is unusually high, most of them having received special instruction at the Fulton institution and the Convent of the Maria Consilia at 1849 Cass avenue. Mr. Beckmann was educated at Fulton; Miss Helfrich at the Convent of the Maria Consilia.

Miss Helfrich was still a pupil at the convent when Mr. Beckmann first made her acquaintance, and after her graduation their friendship became more close and they attended the theater and dances together. Both were fond of these amusements.

Mrs. Beckmann, who did not lose hearing and speech until she had learned her first baby speech, is an expert at lip reading, but her husband knows only the sign language. At the theater Mrs. Beckmann read the actors' lines from the movement of their lips and by means of her hands repeated the dialogues to her companion. She also converses with her family by both methods. Both are expert dancers, and while they cannot hear the music, they feel its pulsations and, having caught the step and time from watching the feet of other dancers, they execute a waltz or two-step as well as if they could hear the strains of the orchestra.

Mrs. Beckmann met Miss Helen Keller, when that remarkable young woman was in St. Louis during the World's Fair, and the two carried on a long conversation by means of the sign manual. She was also a constant attendant at the deaf mute convention at the World's Fair last October.

Since her graduation 10 members of her class and school-girl friends have been married and she was bridesmaid at several of the weddings. Miss Annie Krueger of Cape Girardeau, with whom she has attended school since both were 6 years old, was her bridesmaid.

Mrs. Beckmann feels that life is no less sweet and desirable because she has neither hearing or speech, or that it lacks any of accomplishment. She tells her family that it is poor because it possesses only one deaf mute, and rather envies those in which, as in the case of Mr. Beckmann's family, there are several.

Mr. Beckmann is an electrician, and spent the last two years in expert work in Chicago. He is now employed as an electrician by one of the telephone companies.

"TOO DARK TO SEE ASSAILANT" DEFENSE

Attorneys for Arthur M. Barnes Argue Accused Is Victim of Mistaken Identity.

In the case of Arthur M. Barnes of East St. Louis, on trial in the Belleville Circuit court on the charge of assault with intent to kill Miss Mina Verdin, the defense is attempting to show by several witnesses that it was impossible for Miss Verdin to recognize Barnes under the conditions existing when, she says, she recognized him.

Miss Verdin was a housemaid in the Barnes family. She charges that Barnes entered the front room on the first floor, where she was sleeping, and seated himself on the edge of her bed; that she awakened and recognized him, and that he cut her with a knife as she was trying to get out of the room.

The taking of evidence for the defense began Thursday, the state having closed Wednesday night.

Bruce Syres of 622 North Third street, Dr. A. P. McQuillen, James Bedwell, Mrs. Bessie Bedwell and Thomas Hilder, all of East St Louis, told of having gone to the Barnes residence on McCasland avenue and to have tried in vain to recognize persons in the room under the light conditions that prevailed the night the girl was attacked.

The defense is that Barnes is a victim of mistaken identity, it being contended that the girl was attacked by a burglar.

Miss Verdin identified Barnes as her assailant in somewhat dramatic fashion when she was on the witness stand, Wednesday afternoon. "That is the man, Arthur M. Barnes, who entered my room and stabbed me!" she exclaimed, pointing at Barnes, who sat beside his wife. Barnes smiled skeptically.

She told of awaking and finding a man sitting on the edge of her bed, who said he would kill her if she cried out. She leaped from the bed, she testified, and as she ran toward the door he cut her in the side and back.

The man ran into the hall and she pushed the door shut. Barnes broke it open and she ran to the home of Thomas L. Thompson, next door.

Mr. Thompson told of having recently made a test in the room occupied by Miss Verdin to see if he could identify persons under the same conditions. He said he identified seven out of eight. He admitted on cross-examination that he had identified William Bedwell as Mrs. Putnam and that Bedwell was only 18 inches from him at the time.

State's Attorney Tecklenburg is assisted in the case by Attorney Jere Sullivan of East St. Louis. Attorney Dan McGlynn appears for the defendant.

Byrd Thompson, a negro, confessed to having cut Miss Verden and was indicted, but afterward retracted his confession and said he had been paid to make it.

Undertaker Loses Suit for $10.

In the Probate Court Thursday morning the case of George B. Haenichen, an undertaker of 3815 South Broadway, against the estate of Charles Kruse and the administratrix, Mrs. Louise Kruse, widow, for a balance of $10 alleged to be due on the account for funeral expenses, was decided in favor of the defendant by Probate Judge Thomas B. Crews.

The plaintiff alleged the bill amounted to $247, that $137 of this amount had been paid by defendant. Defendant contended that there was an understanding by which, if the bill was paid in one payment, a discount of $10 was to be allowed.

Socialists Name Collins.

CHICAGO, March 9.—The Socialist city convention has nominated John Collins for mayor.

FRAUD SUIT PROMISES STIR

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

CHICAGO, March 9.—Simultaneous with activity in the Green and Gaynor extradition case, federal authorities have been pressing the suit against Capt. Oberlin M. Carter. A number of witnesses have recently been examined by Commissioner Wyland and the case has been set for trial before Judge John Kohlsaat at an early date.

Horace G. Stone, attorney for Capt. Carter, declares revelations will be made by the defense which will astonish the country. The suit of the government is for the recovery of bonds to the amount of $285,000, which, it is alleged, Carter received as proceeds of frauds perpetrated against the United States in connection with the operations of Green and Gaynor, contractors for the improvement of Savannah harbor.

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WAISTS—20 dozen Ladies' Lawn Waists, finished back and front with wide side pleats, with fly and yoke trimmed in English embroidery; just half price Friday	59c
WAISTS—Of fine quality Lawn with pleated back, front of all-over English embroidery; half price on Friday	79c
WAISTS—Ladies' Waists of fine quality Union Linen, front and back pleated, finished with broad hemstitch pleats; worth double price asked Friday	98c
SILK WAISTS—150 Ladies' Taffeta Silk Waists, plaids, evening shades and black; worth up to $5.00; Friday	$1.75
SILK WAISTS—200 Poi de Soie Silk Waists, all colors and black; worth $4.00; tomorrow	$2.39

Shirt-Waist Suits

SILK SHIRT-WAIST SUITS—50 Taffeta Silk Shirt-Waist Suits with shirred or pleated waist, skirts made with pleated gores; worth $10.00; Friday's price	$5.98
SHIRT-WAIST SUITS—50 Brilliantine Shirt-Waist Suits, worth $7.50; Friday's price	$3.98

Walking Skirts

WALKING SKIRTS—200 Wool Mixtures Walking Skirts, 9 pleated gores; worth $4.00; Friday's price	$1.98
300 25-gore Pleated Brilliantine Walking Skirts, worth $5.00; Friday's price	$2.98

Jackets

JACKETS—50 Covert Jackets, corset coat effect, mercerized lining; worth $5.00; Friday's price	$2.98

Coats

COATS—50 Covert (Misses') Coats, 30-inch long, worth $6.00; on Friday	$2.98

Petticoats

PETTICOATS—Gingham Petticoats, black and white checks, deep ruffle-trimmed flounce; worth double price asked Friday	39c
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STOCKHOLDERS' MEETINGS.

STOCKHOLDERS' MEETING—Notice of special meeting. A special meeting of the stockholders of the Fullerton Mining Co. will be held on Tuesday, March 21, 1905, at nine (9) o'clock a. m., at the office of the company, 918 Fullerton building, St. Louis, Mo., for the purpose of electing new directors, for the adoption or approval of by-laws and consideration and action upon all matters concerning or pertaining to the affairs of the company that may come or be laid before the meeting.

S. H. FULLERTON,
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Attest: HENRY KOEHLER, Secretary. (62)

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Next Sunday Mat.—PRINCESS CHIC.

FATHER DEAD, SHE SMILES ON STAGE

Granddaughter of St. Louis Doctor Says Her Lines Despite Deep Sorrow.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

NEW YORK, March 9.—Dr. Frank A. Waters, son of William H. Waters of St. Louis, and father of Miss Drina de Wolfe, an actress, died in this city yesterday afternoon.

The doctor contracted a severe cold and 10 days ago was attacked by pleuro-pneumonia. An operation was necessary. Shortly after midnight Wednesday morning he was removed to a sanitarium, where he died. Dr. Waters was 47 years old.

How closely the lines of the stage may touch the life of a player was shown last night in the performance of "You Never Can Tell," in which appeared Miss De Wolfe, who had come directly from the deathbed of her father.

There were those in the audience who noticed that at the beginning she seemed under the stress of emotion. She regained control of herself in a moment, however, and soon she was speaking the brilliant and the cynical words of Gloria as though she entered into their spirit.

Miss De Wolfe was preparing for the matinee yesterday afternoon when word was sent to her that her father was dying. She hurried to his bedside and an understudy took her place.

Dr. Waters died shortly after his daughter reached his cot.

It was found that it would be impossible for the understudy, Miss Edna Bruna, to continue in the role of Gloria, and after a consultation with the management it was decided that the play must be suspended unless Miss De Wolfe could appear.

SENATE VOTES TO COMPEL CHARTERS

Bill Sweeping in Effect on Railroads Passes Upper House—Other Bills Passed.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

JEFFERSON CITY, Mo., March 9.—The Senate has passed Senator Walker's bill, which provides that no corporation except one chartered under the laws of Missouri shall be authorized to build, own or operate any railway within the state.

As the Missouri Pacific is the only railroad which has a charter from the state, the sweeping effect of Walker's bill is at once apparent.

The bill has been sent to the House, where it is apt to receive prompt burial.

The bill appropriating $35,000 for an exhibit at the Portland exposition and providing for the appointment of three commissioners, of whom E. S. Carver of Grant City is to be one, was passed, all the senators voting aye.

The bill providing that druggists must file with county clerks copies of all prescriptions which contain intoxicating liquors was passed without opposition in the Senate. The bill is intended to reach drug stores that make a practice of dealing in whisky.

A proposed law declaring all oil pipe lines common carriers was voted on favorably by the senators.

Other bills passed yesterday in the Senate include a provision extending the rules applying to examinations of barbers to the smaller cities of the state, a provision that interest on collateral inheritance tax shall not begin for a period of two years after it becomes due, and a provision that a taxpayer may take an appeal from a decision of a board of equalization to the Circuit court.

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Brother and Brother-in-Law of Murdered St. Louis Woman, Try to Locate Son Who Went to Philippines as Soldier.

WEALTHY VICTIM HAD CONSULTED CLAIRVOYANT

Los Angeles Fortune Teller Says Nothing Occurred to Offer Solution of Tragedy—Psychologist Employed to Unravel Crime.

A systematic effort to unravel the mystery of the murder of Mrs. Nancy Jane Milburn, the former school teacher and wealthy real estate owner of St. Louis, whose dead body was found in the sea off Ocean Park, near Los Angeles, Cal., was begun Thursday by her brother, W. A. Glore of Steelville, Ill., and her brother-in-law, John D. Detrich, a lawyer of Chester.

Both men came to St. Louis Wednesday night and Thursday morning went to Clayton, where they began a lengthy consultation with Judge G. A. Wurdeman, Mrs. Milburn's lawyer, in St. Louis County.

One of the first steps they are taking is to locate Mrs. Milburn's son, Kent Moore, about 25 years old; the divorced husband of Mrs. Milburn's daughter, Mrs. Leora Beatrice O'Brien, Dr. C. Romaine; and to establish the fact of the death of Mrs. Milburn's divorced husband, William Milburn, which is said to have occurred in the East a year and a half ago.

Kent Moore has not been heard from by his two uncles since about two years ago, when Mr. Glore received a letter from him in Denver. The letter was sent to Mrs. Milburn, who, her brother believes, found th young man in Los Angeles.

Dr. Romaine's present residence is unknown to Glore and Detrich, but it is suspected that he is living in California. He was the daughter's second husband. About 12 years ago she married George Parkhill, who died in 1894. She later married Dr. Romaine, but six years ago secured a divorce from him. A year later they were reconciled and remarried, but after two years were divorced again. She then married William O'Brien, with whom she is now living in Watsonville, Cal., 200 miles north of Los Angeles.

Wm. Milburn Reported Dead.

Both of Mrs. Milburn's children were born of her first marriage to Wm. Moore, who died about 1880. In 1885 she married Wm. Milburn in Randolph County, Ill., and about 1895 obtained a divorce from him. She gave him, her brother says, a sum of money and he relinquished his husband's rights in her property. They met after the divorce and were friendly. A year and a half ago Mrs. Milburn informed her brothers that she had received a letter from her former husband's sister, saying he had died in New York state.

News dispatches to the Post-Dispatch from Los Angeles say Mrs. O'Brien does not know where her brother, Kent Moore, is at the present time. He went to the Philippines as a soldier during the Spanish-American war, and his sister says she believes he is still there. This does not agree with the information in possession of relatives here, who say he returned at least two years ago.

The dispatches say that all but about $100 of Mrs. Milburn's money has been accounted for. Among her effects was a note for $13,500, which was given her in part payment for the three-acre tract of land near Delmar Garden, which she sold last fall to the Lewis Publishing Co. for $18,000. It is said the balance of this sum, and also the remittances made to her since her departure from St. Louis Jan. 20 last on account of her rentals, is accounted for.

Visited a Clairvoyant.

It has been discovered that Mrs. Milburn, a few days before her death, visited a Los Angeles clairvoyant, but the clairvoyant says nothing occurred at this meeting to suggest a solution of the tragic mystery.

Mrs. O'Brien has employed a well-known California psychologist, who has achieved quite a reputation through his successful efforts in unraveling mysterious crimes on the coast, to investigate her mother's murder. Wednesday afternoon he went over the supposed scene of the murder, which was undoubtedly committed before Mrs. Milburn was thrown into the sea, but if he made any enlightening discoveries he failed to announce them.

It is understood that Mrs. O'Brien is practically the only heir to her mother's estate, and it is expected that, in addition to meeting the expenses of detectives she has already employed, she will offer a large reward for the detection of her mother's murderer. The state authorities are also engaged in the investigation, but so far have reported no discoveries.

Missouri Society Hears of War.

At a meeting of the Baptist Women's Missionary and Benevolent association at the Delmar Avenue Baptist church Wednesday afternoon, Miss Mary Danielson, a missionary at Osaku, Japan, spoke on the war in the far East. The society re-elected the following officers: President, Miss Mare; first vice-president, Mrs. Averill; second vice-president, Mrs. R. L. Gurney; recording secretary, Mrs. S. E. Ewing; treasurer, Mrs. W. A. Kingdon, and corresponding secretary, Miss S. Bachellor.

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St. Louisan Bureau Chief.

William C. Fox, a native and for many years a resident of St. Louis, press dispatches say, will be selected as chief of the bureau of American Republics, to succeed W. W. Rockhill, named as minister to China. Mr. Fox has been in the consular and bureau service of the government for a number of years and was in St. Louis during the World's Fair as a member of the government exhibition board.

BUSINESS NOTICE.

50,000 World's Fair colored postal cards, sold formerly 5 cts.; price in 5000 lots, $1.65. Room 408 Model bldg.; leaving city. Ad. E 19, Post-Dispatch.

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University Club Honors Novelist.

An informal reception was given at the University Club Wednesday night in honor of Henry James, the novelist. Addresses were made by a number of the club members.

Overlooked.

"There's one thing they haven't thought of as a reason for the sun's cooling off."

"What's that?"

"The janitor."

Caution.

From the Washington Star.

"Here is a little poem about the beautiful snow," said one editor.

"Better not print it," answered the other. "It may lay the foundation of another literary dispute as to the authorship of a classic."

Inherited.

From the Cincinnati Enquirer.

He: Miss Buddington is awfully shy, isn't she?

She: Yes. I wonder if she inherits her shyness from her mother?

He: No; from her father, I imagine. He used to be a great poker player.

His Specialty.

From the Chicago Tribune.

"Young man," asked the girl's father, "have you any visible means of support?" "Why—aw—none that are visible to the naked eye," replied the young man, hesitatingly. "I am one of the microbe specialists of the health department."

The Blaming Habit.

From the Philadelphia Press.

"I don't see why a fellow should kick if he doesn't succeed. Every man is the architect of his own fortune." "Yes, but did you ever know of an architect who didn't blame the builder or some subcontractor for his failure."

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$1.20 Brussels Carpets, yd. ..69c
$1.75 Velvet Carpets, yd. ..95c
$1.65 Axminster Carpets, yard $1.00

Lace Curtains

New department—latest styles.

SPECIAL

300 pairs Saxony Nottingham Lace Curtains; 60 inches wide, 3½ yards long; value $2.50; pair 98c

$7.00 Arabian Nottingham Curtains, pair $4.25
$4.50 Ruffled Net Curtains, pair ..$3.25
$3.50 Ruffled Muslin Curtains, pair. $2.50

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Beautiful exhibit of elegant patterns.

100 Axminster Rugs, size 27x54, worth $2.50, for......$1.48
$25 Brussels Rugs $14
$38 Axminster Rugs $19.50
$45 Wilton Velvet Rugs...$22.00

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200 styles of Sideboards and Buffets; beautiful materials. Friday and Saturday we offer golden oak Sideboard, like cut, elaborately carved; plush-lined silver drawer. Worth $18.00, for **$12**

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Sanitary Couch, $2.98

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TO COMMENCE BUSINESS.
NO. 7570.
TREASURY DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF COMPTROLLER OF THE CURRENCY.
WASHINGTON, D. C., Jan. 21, 1905.

Whereas, By satisfactory evidence presented to the undersigned, it has been [illegible] to appear that "The American Exchange National Bank of St. Louis," in the City of St. Louis and State of Missouri, has complied with all the provisions of the statutes of the United States required to be complied with before an association shall be authorized to commence the business of banking:

Now, Therefore, I, William B. Ridgely, comptroller of the currency, do hereby certify that "The American Exchange National Bank of St. Louis," in the City of St. Louis and State of Missouri, is authorized to commence the business of banking as provided in section 5169 of the Revised Statutes of the United States.

Conversion of the American Exchange Bank.

In testimony whereof, witness my hand and seal of office this 21st day of January, 1905.

WILLIAM B. RIDGELY,
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Join The Crowds at FAMOUS, Tomorrow Its Bargain Friday

$1.25 and $1.50 Shoes for 95c

One of those trade compelling Friday bargains from the Shoe section.

Boys' Box Calf Lace Shoes—also Vici Kid with patent tips—sizes 10 to 13½—worth $1.25—

Misses' and Children's Vici Kid Lace Shoes—Patent tips and patent heel foxing—extension soles—sizes 8½ to 2—worth $1.25 and $1.50—

Womens' School-Heel Shoes—Dongola Lace—Patent leather tips with low heels—sizes 4 to 6—

Women's Kid 2-strap Sandals—White kid lined—Cuban heels—turned soles—sizes 2½ to 8—worth $1.25—Friday at Famous choice for... **95c**

Women's $3 and $4 Shoes for $1.95

The last day of this great offer—Booth's Ideal Kid lace shoes, Baker's Patent Colt Button Shoes and Vici Kid, Blucher and lace shoes—the new toe shapes and heels—worth $2.50, $3 and $4—Friday very special, choice for.................. **1.95**

Every section of this great store comes forward with offerings of the most exceptional bargain character. The word "bargain" never was truer or more appropriately applied than to these unequaled specials which we've arranged for Friday's spirited selling.

Famous
BROADWAY & MORGAN
WE GIVE EAGLE TRADING STAMPS

$15 Sanitary Couch and Pad, $8.50

This bargain in our Bedding Section Friday nets you exactly a saving of $6.50. Only sixty of our patrons will be fortunate enough to share in this offering, as that is all we have of them. The Pad alone is worth $10, and is made of best quality velour in a dozen different and rich figured effects—also in green and red corduroys. **THE COUCH** is the celebrated Star Couch, supported by the guaranteed National spring, and will support 1000 pounds weight—worth $5—Friday the Couch and Pad complete for.............................. **8.50**

White Crochet Spreads—Soft finish—size 72x80—worth 75c—Friday special, for........................... **39c**

11-4 Fleeced Blankets—White cotton—worth 90c pair—Friday at Famous, special at, pair **49c**

A Stirring
Corset Bargain
$1.50 to $3 Corsets, 68c.

No, they are not a lot of undesirable goods, but samples of the very latest models and values extraordinary—such popular brands as W. B., Thomson's Glove Fitting, R. & G., Kabo, P. N., C. B., French Flexibone, Warner's Rust Proof and various others—these Corsets are absolute $1.50 to $3 values—small lot of samples, about 200 in all—while they last Friday, choice for **68c**

Men's ½ Hose
25c Kind for 11c.

These are genuine 25c values—were actually imported to sell for 25c—fancy and plain colors—some with silk embroidery, others with fancy silk clocked effects—Friday at Famous, very special, choice for............ **11c**

An Unusual
Picture Bargain
$1.25 Values—Friday 50c.

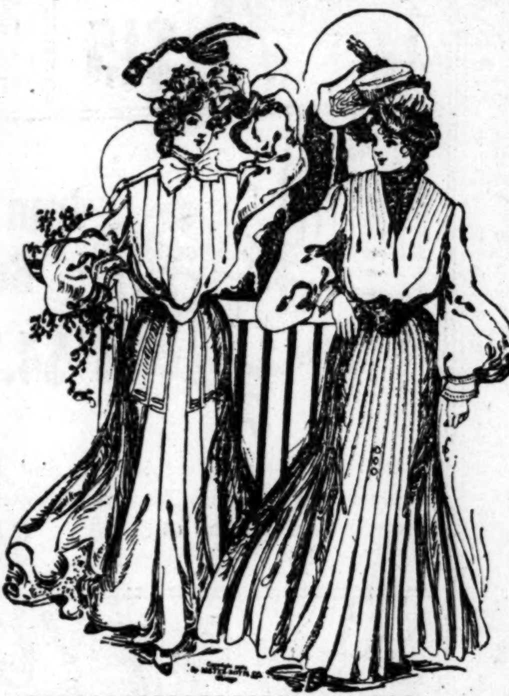
In the Bargain Aisle on our main floor, Friday, we offer a large assortment of Parlor Pictures, in beautiful landscape and figure subjects—all sorts of shapes and sizes—included are pictures that are worth up to $1.25—while they last Friday, choice of any in the lot at the very low price of...... **50c**

Friday's Bargains in Women's Stylish Attire

Tell of savings far out of the ordinary on the cleverest garments created for this spring's correct wear. Attend this remarkable sale Friday by all means, if you are seeking fashionable apparel at prices even lower than usually prevail at clearing times.

Women's $6.00 Covert Coats, $3.95

Don't think because the price is so low that these garments are unworthy—they're not the ordinary $3.95 coats, and we doubt if you can equal them in the city under $6—made of the stylish all-wool Covert Cloths—in the nobby strapped and belt effect—trimmed with buttons—new sleeves—collarless—serviceable linings—a coat that will give splendid wear—worth $6—Friday, at Famous, special for.................. **3.95**

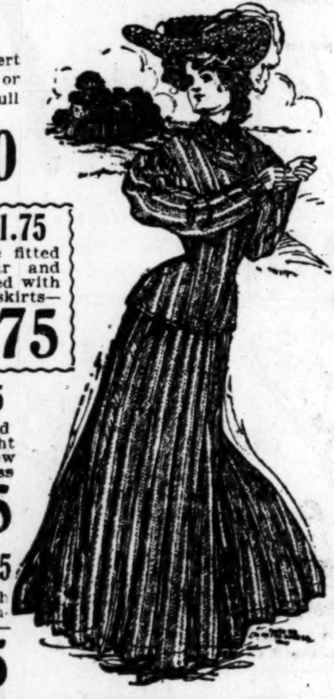


$10.00 Silk Shirt Waist Suits, $5.75

Two hundred more of these splendid Silk Suits for Friday's hurried selling—if you did not secure yours last week, here's another chance—made of serviceable silk—cut liberally full—waist prettily tucked and plaited—newest sleeves—skirts in the nobby plaited effect—in beautiful changeable blues, browns and greens—all sizes—you cannot match them in the city under $10—Friday, at Famous, very special for............ **5.75**

$8 Covert Coats, $5

Made of strictly all-wool Covert Cloths—in the collarless effect, or with finely stitched collar—full sleeves, with narrow turnback cuffs—3 attractive styles—worth $8—Friday...... **5.00**



$18 Tailored Suits, $11.75

Of fancy mixed cloths, in the fitted coat style, with belt, collar and cuffs trimmed with braid—lined with soft satin to match—kilted skirts—tan, gray and white checks—Friday at Famous—special for..................... **11.75**

$13.50 Raincoats, $8.95

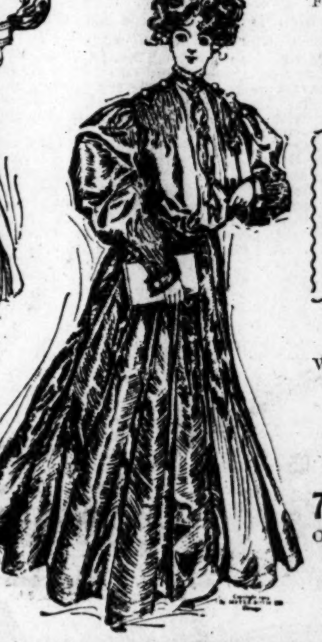
Made of all-wool cravenetted shower-proof material in light tans, castors and grays—the new shirred, belted style—collarless effect—the new sleeves and cuffs—Friday at Famous, special for **8.95**

Women's $4 Skirts, $1.95

Glossy Brilliantine and Cloth Skirts in the kilted style—button trimmed—cut full—well tailored—browns, blues, tans and black—all sizes, worth $4—Friday, choice for **1.95**

$6 Skirts for $3.95

Made of glossy Brilliantine—in the new plaited style—narrow plaits all round—fancy stitching at yoke—the newest style of the season—cut amply full—in browns, blues and black—regular $5 and $6 values—Friday at Famous, special for.................. **3.95**



$20 Silk Suits, $13.50

Fancy yoke effects of lace and silk trimmings—shirred front and sleeves—skirts shirred over hips—superior quality taffeta, in browns, blues, tans and the light shades—excellent $20 suits—Friday, special for.... **13.50**

$3 Jap Silk Waists, $1.79

Made of superior quality washable Jap silk—rows of dainty lace insertion, new sleeve effects with narrow tucked cuffs, black and white—worth $3—Friday, very special, choice at.......... **1.79**

$1.50 Lawn Waists, 67c

White Lawn and Madras Waists—yokes trimmed with Valenciennes lace—new sleeves with narrow cuffs trimmed with lace—also plain tailored madras waists—worth $1.25 and $1.50—choice of six styles Friday for........ **67c**

75c Gingham Petticoats, 39c

Of good washable Ginghams with neat stripes—wide flounce finished with narrow ruffles—cut extra full—blue, tan and red stripes—worth 75c—Friday, at Famous, special for........................ **39c**

Japanese Mattings
35c Kind for 15c

You'll buy these durable floor coverings at less than half the usual price for such superior qualities, if you visit this section Friday. Best quality, long straw, cotton warp Japanese Mattings—in carpet designs—worth 30c and 35c a yard—Friday, at Famous—as an extra special, choice at, yd..... **15c**

Boys' 50c Caps, 17c

In the new Norfolk, Auto, Golf, Yacht and Eton styles—made all wool materials to match the spring suitings—silk serge lined—worth up to 50c—Friday, choice for.................. **17c**

Peggy Bags
39c to $1.25 Values for 25c

This is without doubt the biggest bargain snap you'll run across in a long while—Peggy from Paris Bags—strap and some braided handles—black, brown and tan—fitted with inside purses—nickel and gilt frames—actual 39c to $1.25 values—Friday, at Famous—choice of any in the lot for..... **25c**

Some Particularly Strong Friday
Bargains in Ribbons
25c, 30c and 35c Ribbons for 15c a Yard.

Friday, in our always-crowded Ribbon Section, we offer 6000 yards of pure silk, high-quality Ribbons—**3, 4 AND 5 INCHES WIDE**—the newest fancy Dresden and flower effects and stripes, also plain, solid-color Taffeta and Satin Taffeta Ribbons—all colors—every yard clean and fresh, and by long odds the greatest bargains presented this year—positive 25c, 30c and 35c qualities—Friday, at Famous, choice at, yard....................................... **15c**

Corset Cover Embroideries
39c to 50c Values for 29c Yard.

Cambric Corset Cover Embroideries, with ribbon band-beading, deep, open work designs—floral, teneriffe and English embroidered effects—18 inches wide—regularly sold for 39c to 50c a yard—Friday, very special, choice at, yd................ **29c**

25c Mousseline de Soie, 10c

Don't fail to get at least a couple of Dress Patterns of them, for they are not the cheap quality usually sold at 15c and 19c yard, but the real 25c grade—full 28 inches wide and every good color, including light blue, cadet, navy, pink, nile, new green, drab, brown, hello, also black and white—Friday only, and no restriction as to quantity you can purchase—choice at, yard........................... **10c**

10c to 15c Percales and Madras, 5c

Be on hand early, as there are only 4000 yards of both. Full pieces of 36-inch Percales, wrapper styles, cheap at 10c yard—also remnants of colored Brocade Madras and plain Voiles—lengths up to 8 yards—worth 15c yard—while they last, Friday, they go at, yard.................. **5c**

19c Chiffon Voile Suitings—Newest colors and patterns—Friday........................ **12½c**

15c Knickerbocker Voile Suitings—Newest Colors—Friday.......... **9c**

Remnants 12½c and 15c White Lawns and Cord Madras—Friday............................ **8½c**

Remnants of 10c Check Nainsook—all size checks—Friday...... **5c**

75c to 90c Real French Flannels—Friday........................ **25c**

3 to 12 yard Remnants of 10c Embroidered Dress Swiss—Big range of patterns and colors—Friday... **6½c**

Best 30c Turkey Red and Green 60-inch Table Damask—Friday........................... **15c**

7½c Honey Comb Towels—Size 14x27 inches, fringed—Friday....... **3½c**

$2.00 Table Cloths, 2½-yard size, spoke stitch edge or fringed—Friday.......................... **98c**

5c Turkish Wash Cloths, 9x12-inch size, each, Friday............ **1c**

5c Unbleached Muslin, 30 inches wide, good quality—Friday....... **2½c**

Remnants up to 10 yards of best Outing Flannel, staple styles, Friday.......................... **5c**

Children's 49c Gowns, 25c.

Of very good quality Cambric—V yoke—embroidery trimmed—sizes 2 to 12—regular 49c value—Friday special for **25c**

Women's $1.25 Kid Gloves, 59c.

A small sample line of 250 pairs to go at this extreme bargain price Friday—various sizes and colors—two clasps—gusseted fingers—one row of embroidery on back—$1 and 1.25 values—Friday, while they last, choice for.......... **59c**

1800 Pairs of Importers' Samples and "Seconds" of
Women's Fancy Hosiery

Secured at a tremendous price allowance from one of the largest manufacturers of Chemnitz, Germany. Included are beautiful fancy figured and striped effects, laces and drop-stitched hose in various colors and black, also plain black, white and champagne hose—of lisle and fine cottons. These stockings are in most instances very slightly imperfect and the imperfections can hardly be detected—they're regular 35c and 50c values—Friday while they last and they're certainly wonderful bargains, choice for........................ **19c**

Women's $4 Hats, $2.50

The Millinery Section offers Friday four large tables full of strictly handmade chiffon, folded and shirred Hats, also hair braid combination semi-trimmed Hats—in every new and wanted color—all the new, large, medium and small effects that are in vogue this spring—every hat lined—actual $4 values—Friday, at Famous, as an extra special, choice for **2.50**

BOYS' CLOTHING BARGAINS

For Friday in Our Great Boys' Department.

FREE!!

An Excellent Catcher's Mitt or a Baseball and Bat Free With Every Boy's Suit or Topcoat at $2.50 or over.

Boys' $4 Suits for $2.50

Bring the boys to Famous Friday and we'll fit them out in splendid wear-resisting Spring Suits at fully $1.50 less than they'd cost you elsewhere—over 1500 nobby suits in this lot from which to select—just the patterns and styles that will most please boys from 3 to 16 years old—the two-piece, double-breasted and Norfolk style—Friday at Famous, choice for **2.50**

Boys' $7 Spring Suits $4.95

Judicious parents come to Famous season after season for their Boys' Clothes—past experience has taught this the wisest plan—these suits at $4.95 come in the very latest styles and patterns to be worn this spring—double-breasted two-piece suits, double-breasted Norfolk suits, novelty suits, in sailor, Russian blouse and Eton styles—made from splendid all-wool serges and fancy mixtures—richly trimmed—the latest spring fashions—suits that will cost you $7 elsewhere—Friday at Famous, choice for.............................. **4.95**

Boys' 50c and 75c Shirts, 29c

We closed out 250 dozen Boys' Spring Shirts from a prominent Eastern manufacturer at a price that permits us to offer this great shirt bargain Friday—included are all the newest patterns in the negligee, plain and plaited style—made of percales, cheviots and madras cloths—attached or detached cuffs—sizes 12 to 14½—shirts that never retail for less than 50c and 75c—Friday, at Famous, as an extra special, choice for **29c**

40c to $1 Silks, 25c Yd.

For Friday's record-breaking selling in the Silk Section we have grouped all the odd pieces and remnants of Silks and Velvets on hand and will turn them over to our patrons as low as a fourth of their absolute worth. Included are:

$1.00 Fancy Metal Velvets—
$1.00 Mingled Gray Velvets—
59c Plain Taffeta Silks—
50c All Silk Foulards—
50c Habutai Plaids—
40c Colored China Silks—
40c White Wash Habutai Silks—
Friday at Famous—choice of any, at yard... **25c**

WHITE HABUTAI SILK—the washable kind—regular 30c quality—Friday at Famous—very special, at yd. **18c**

40c SILK REMNANTS, 10c YARD—fancy Liberty Satin, in scroll and floral design, also Foulards—Friday, choice at yard...................... **10c**

50c to 75c Black Fabrics 40c Yd.

Black Coating Serge, 40 inches wide, black cheviots, nub voiles, melrose suitings, shark skins, panne cheviots and fancy mohairs—all remnants, but good lengths—regularly sold for 50c to 75c a yard—Friday at Famous, in our Black Dress Goods section—as an extra special bargain, choice at, yard................................ **40c**

68c BLACK SICILIAN, 45c—52 inches wide—rich, lustrous black—regular 68c quality—Friday special at, yard....................... **45c**

50c MINGLED CHEVIOT, 28c—44-inch fancy mixed cheviots—regular 50c quality—Friday special at, yard............. **28c**

38c JACQUARD POPLINS, 23c—Various colors and black—full 36 inches wide—regular 38c grade—Friday special at, yard **23c**

$1 ETAMINE FOR 50c—46-inch Pebble Etamine—in brown, cadet, royal, navy and green—Friday special at, yard **50c**

CAMBRIC REMNANTS—Kid-finished cambric—all colors and black—Friday special at, yard **2c**

LINING REMNANTS — Sateens, spunglass, nearsilk, haircloth, percaline and canvas—worth to 35c—Friday, choice at, yard **8c**

These Real Bargains for Friday in the
House Furnishing Section

Universal Bread Mixer—Make bread in three minutes—Number four size—regular $2.25 value—Friday.......................... **1.89**

Dish Pans—10 quart—heavy coated enamel dish pans, strictly first quality and full size—regular 50c value Friday **25c**

Square Willow Hampers—Medium size—Made of good, strong willow and always sold for $2.50. Friday special for **1.75**

Covered Buckets—3 quart size—heavy coated enamel—regular 39c value. Friday **20c**

Willow Nursery Chairs—Strong and well made—Regular 95c value—Friday **73c**

Sad Irons—Mrs. Potts'—tinned top—regular price 85c per set of three irons; handle and stand—Friday, per set......... **59c**

Hunters' Sifters—None better made for sifting flour—regular 12c value—Friday special for **7c**

Chamber Pails—Japanned—10-quart size—assorted solid colors—regular 35c value—Friday.......... **25c**

Berry or Salad Sets—German china—large bowl and six fruit saucers to match—dark blue decorations—regular price 59c—Friday per set **29c**

49c Water Sets for 29c

Large Crystal Glass Pitcher and six tumblers to match—Tankard shape—exactly like cut—regular 49c value—Friday at Famous, very special while 200 sets last Choice for **29c**

Plates—Dinner size — Plain white semi-porcelain—with beaded edge—regular price 60c per set—Friday per set **30c**

Air Light Gas Burners—Complete with white globe and mantle—regular 75c value—Friday complete **48c**

Kitchen Bracket Lamps—Complete with burner, chimney and reflector—regular 35c value—Friday special for ... **19c**

Shelf Paper—10-yard pieces—all colors—regular 5c value—Friday per roll **2c**

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ST. LOUIS POST-DISPATCH

Where to Obtain the Best Help.
2711 men, women, boys and girls advertised for "Situations Wanted" in Post-Dispatch Wants during February.
More than any two other St. Louis Newspapers contained.
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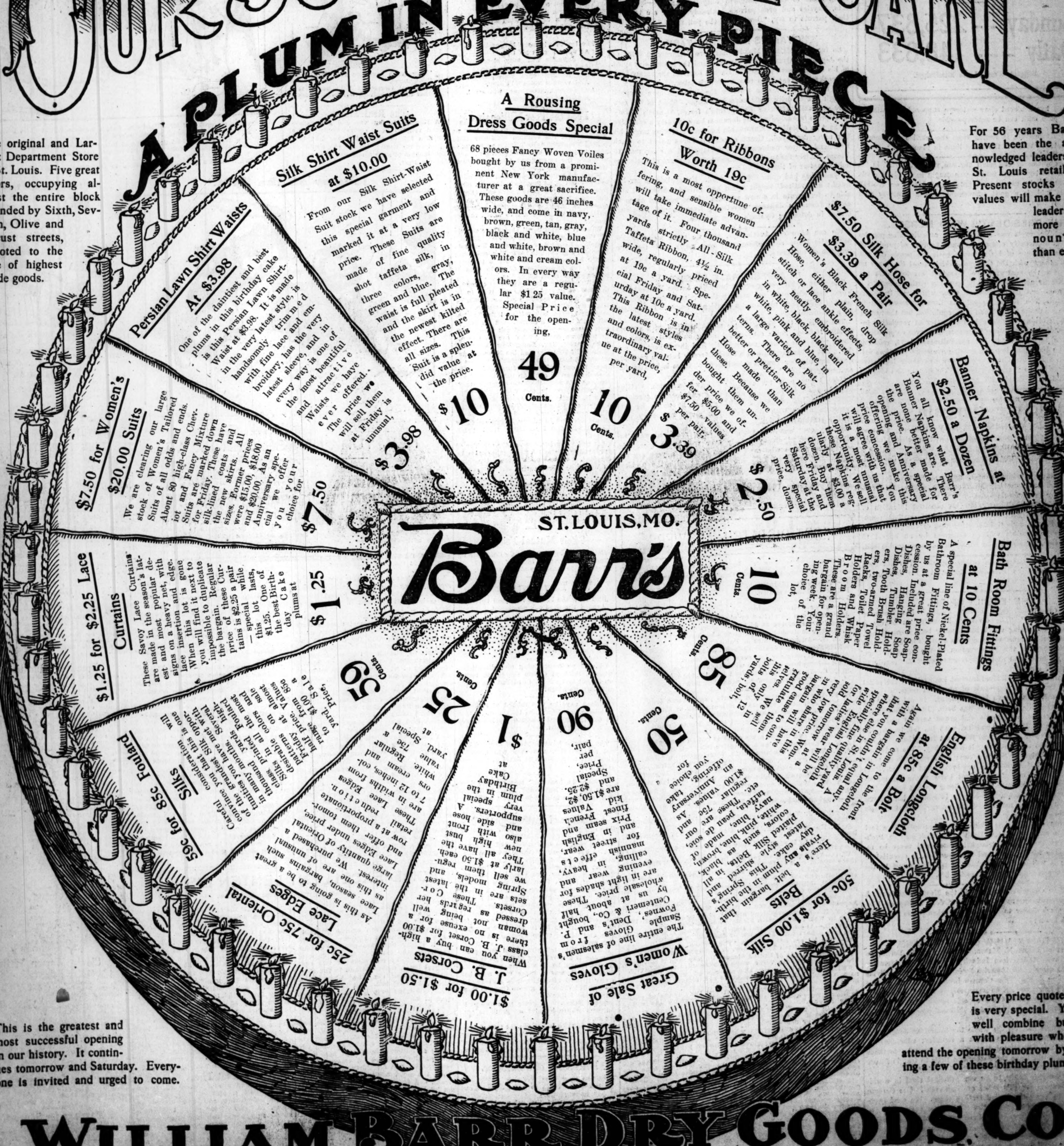
ST. LOUIS, THURSDAY EVENING, MARCH 9, 1905.

OUR 56TH BIRTHDAY CAKE

A PLUM IN EVERY PIECE

The original and Largest Department Store in St. Louis. Five great floors, occupying almost the entire block bounded by Sixth, Seventh, Olive and Locust streets, devoted to the sale of highest grade goods.

For 56 years Barr's have been the acknowledged leaders in St. Louis retailing. Present stocks and values will make this leadership more pronounced than ever.



A Rousing Dress Goods Special

68 pieces Fancy Woven Voiles bought by us from a prominent New York manufacturer at a great sacrifice. These goods are 46 inches wide, and come in navy, brown, green, tan, gray, black and white, blue and white, brown and white and cream colors. In every way they are a regular $1.25 value. Special Price for the opening,

49 Cents.

10c for Ribbons Worth 19c

This is a most opportune offering, and sensible women will take immediate advantage of it. Four thousand yards strictly All-Silk Taffeta Ribbon, 4½ in. wide, regularly priced at 19c a yard. Special Friday and Saturday at 10c a yard. This Ribbon is in the latest styles and colors, is extraordinary value at the price, per yard,

10 Cents.

$7.50 Silk Hose for $3.39 a Pair

Women's Black French Silk Hose, either plain, drop stitch or lace ankle effects, very neatly embroidered in white, black, black and white, pink and blue, in a large variety of patterns. There are no better or prettier Silk Hose made than these. Because we bought them under price we offer $5.00 and $7.50 values per pair,

$3.39

Banner Napkins at $2.50 a Dozen

You all know what Barr's Banner Napkins are. There are none better made for the price. As a special opening and Anniversary offering we make this price concession. You will agree with us that it is a most unusual opportunity. We sell these Napkins regularly at $3.00 a dozen. Buy them here Friday and Saturday at the very special price, dozen,

$2.50

Bath Room Fittings at 10 Cents

A special line of Nickel-Plated Bathroom Fittings, bought by us at a great price concession. Included are Soap Dishes, Hanging Soap Dishes, Tumbler Holders, Tooth Brush Holders, two-armed Towel Racks, Toilet Paper Holders and Whisk Broom Holders. These are a grand bargain for opening week. Your choice of the lot,

10 Cents.

English Longcloth at 85c a Bolt

Again we come to the front with a bargain in Longcloth that you couldn't equal anywhere else in St. Louis. A specially fine quality yard wide English Longcloth for ladies' wear will be sold tomorrow at a very low price. Women who share in this bargain will have good cause to congratulate themselves. We sell this only in bolts of 12 yards; bolt,

85 Cents.

50c for $1.00 Silk Belts

Here's a belt bargain that rivals any plum in the birthday cake. This Spring's latest style shirred and plaited Silk Belts, in all colors, such as black, white, pink, blue, brown, navy blue, made of taffeta, peau de soie, etc. These are our regular 75c and $1.00 values. As an Anniversary offering, take you choice for

50 Cents.

Great Sale of Women's Gloves

The entire line of salesmen's Sample Gloves from Fownes', Dent's and P. Centemeri & Co., bought by us at about half wholesale price. These are in light shades for evening wear and calling, in heavy, mannish effects for street wear, and in English Prix seam and finest French kid. Values are $1.50, $2, and $2.25. Special Price, per pair,

90 Cents.

$1.00 for $1.50 J. B. Corsets

When you can buy a high-class J. B. Corset for $1.00 there is no excuse for a woman not being well dressed as regards her Corsets. These Corsets are in the latest Spring models, and we sell them regularly at $1.50 each. They all have the new high bust also with front and side hose supporters. A very special plum in the Birthday Cake at

$1

25c for 75c Oriental Lace Edges

As this is going to be a great Lace season, bargains such as this one are of unusual interest. We purchased a large quantity of Oriental Lace Edges under price, and offer them tomorrow at a proportionate retail reduction. These Lace Edges are in widths from 7 to 12 inches, colors cream and white. Regular value 75c a yard. Special at

25 Cents.

59c for 85c Foulard Silks

Careful consideration will convince you that this is one of the grandest Silk opportunities you have met with in many months. Several thousand yards high-class printed Foulard Silks in all the most desirable colors and patterns on sale Friday at almost half price. Values range from 85c to $1.00 a yard. Sale Price,

59 Cents.

$1.25 for $2.25 Lace Curtains

These Savoy Lace Curtains are made in the season's latest and most popular designs on a heavy net, with lace insertion and edge. When this lot is gone you will find it next to impossible to duplicate the bargain. Regular price of these Curtains is $2.25 a pair — special while this lot lasts, $1.25. One of the best Birthday Cake plums at

$1.25

$7.50 for Women's $20.00 Suits

We are clearing our large stock of Women's Tailored Suits of all odds and ends. About 80 high-class Cheviot and Fancy Mixture Suits are marked down for Friday. These have silk-lined coats and the new skirts. All sizes. Former prices were $15.00, $18.00 and $20.00. As an Anniversary special we offer you your choice for

$7.50

Persian Lawn Shirt Waists At $3.98

One of the daintiest and best plums in this birthday cake is this Persian Lawn Shirt-Waist at $3.98. It is made in the very latest style, is handsomely trimmed with fine lace and embroidery, has the very latest sleeve, and in every way is one of the most beautiful and attractive Waists we have ever offered. The price we will sell them at Friday is unusual,

$3.98

Silk Shirt Waist Suits at $10.00

From our Silk Shirt-Waist Suit stock we have selected this special garment and marked it at a very low price. These Suits are made of fine quality shot taffeta silk, in three colors, gray, green and blue. The waist is full pleated and the skirt is in the newest kilted effect. There are all sizes. This Suit is a splendid value at the price.

$10

This is the greatest and most successful opening in our history. It continues tomorrow and Saturday. Everyone is invited and urged to come.

Every price quoted here is very special. You can well combine business with pleasure when you attend the opening tomorrow by picking a few of these birthday plums.

WILLIAM BARR DRY GOODS CO.

THURSDAY EVENING,
MARCH 9, 1905.

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AVERAGE CIRCULATION
ENTIRE YEAR 1904

Sunday - - 225,837
Daily - - - 148,833

Biggest West of the Mississippi.

St. Louis has achieved clear water—a supposed impossibility. And now pure milk can be made possible.

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General Kuropatkin is fleeing from the terrible Japanese in an automobile. What is the speed limit in Manchuria?

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The possibilities of the small boy are well illustrated in the item about the boy whose tongue was caught in an alarm clock.

The $400,000 the government got out of duties on World's Fair goods sold, is a good supplement to the promptly paid World's Fair loan.

THE PRESIDENT'S WILD HORSES.

President Roosevelt was elected by an overwhelming popular vote and is apparently one of the most popular of presidents, yet all the evidence of his strength with the people did not make him strong with the Congress, which closed its career on March 4. On the contrary, the President exerted little influence upon its actions. He is in open war with the Senate.

Congress did not do one specific thing which the President recommended. The House passed the Esch-Townsend bill in response to his desire for railroad rate regulation, but the Senate ignored it. Nothing was done in the matter of regulating insurance companies, controlling interstate commerce corporations, revising the tariff, revising the naturalization laws, reducing the tariff on Philippine imports, passing a corrupt practices act, changing the Panama Canal Commission and other legislative subjects dear to the President's heart. The Senate amended his arbitration treaties despite his open protest.

Mr. Roosevelt warned the Congress against extravagance in all except naval appropriations, and Congress cut down the naval budget and broke the record of appropriations. The appropriations of this session reached $818,478,914.81, exceeding those of the session which provided for the Spanish war expenditures by $31,438,652. The appropriations for the two sessions of the Fifty-eighth Congress aggregated $1,599,651,289.99, more than a billion and a half, yet Congress would not increase the president's salary.

Mr. Cleveland's description of Congress as "a team of wild horses" would hardly satisfy Mr. Roosevelt, who probably regarded it as a herd of wild asses.

If the President shall carry out his reported intention of stumping the country in favor of his railroad regulation proposal he will make a most interesting test of the power of a president to enforce his will on Congress by an appeal to popular opinion. The situation would make it a genuine test.

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The bill against cartoons is rather foolish. Who has been cartooned so much as President Roosevelt? He fattens on newspaper pictures.

THE FAMILY SPIRIT.

"Higher education," says Bishop Potter," has increased woman's selfishness." "The divorce," he adds, "is merely a recognition of something which has already been accomplished. What, therefore, we must study are the causes for this passing of the family spirit, this degeneration of the home instinct. And what we must aim at is the re-creation of the family in the patriarchal sense."

In other words, the individual interest has excluded the social and society becomes an aggregate of unrelated units.

Such a result might have been expected. In old times the man died in the village where he was born. In the churchyard were the graves of his parents and grand parents and more remote ancestors. He was identified with his family and the circle of his friends. He had no life apart from them. In our time the boy who stays at home is a dull boy. The ambitious go west, or to China, or South Africa; wherever he is he must go somewhere else. Ancient ties are broken and the individual lives for himself alone. He does not know where his grandfather lies buried. Often he does not know his full name. The habits of selfishness acquired while he is making his fortune cling to him after he marries. Is it wonderful that trouble often comes?

It is a growth of the time which must be accepted as a fact and turned to social account, difficult as the task may be. Probably the "family in the patriarchal sense" will never be restored, but the family, vital and indestructible, is essential to civilization; it will outlive the chaos of selfishness and be the nucleus of a saner and stronger social life.

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According to Commissioner Garfield the Meat Trust is much like a benevolent enterprise. But how does it happen that meat is so much dearer to the consumer when prices for cattle are so much lower?

A GERMAN VIEW OF AMERICANS.

The report of Frank N. Mason, consul-general in Berlin, on "German Views of American Industry" deserves consideration by those who assume that America leads the world by the divine right of inborn genius. The German investigators who visited the St. Louis Fair were not so impressed, as Mr. Mason's report shows. Comparing notes, these experts speak warmly of our natural resources, of our mechanical skill and progressive spirit. But——

"They conclude that on the whole the 'American danger' has been greatly exaggerated, and that a steadfast adherence by Germany to the educational system and commercial methods now in practice will leave the Fatherland little to fear in future competition with American manufactured goods."

Since Germany is likely to be our principal rival in world-trade, the reasons for this belief are important. The German critics find us too self-satisfied for one thing. We send trade agents abroad without preparation and without knowing the language they should use. Our higher schools turn out few expert chemists, dyers and engineers. Our "commercial colleges," with their three months' course seem to the German visitors "little better than a farce" as a substitute for a thorough business training. High wages, high express charges and the general heavy cost of handling business are other things held to be unfavorable to us in competition.

High wages is not unfavorable, even in international competition, so long as it means high efficiency, and not merely an offset to high cost of living. As to the rest, the indictment is worth study.

The old-fashioned Yankee boy had considerable technical training for the simpler industrial problems of his day in the varied duties of the farm. This was never true of the city lad, and it is ceasing to be true even of the country boy as industry becomes more specialized.

It is national foolishness to imagine that an American can "pick up" in a few weeks at work the knowledge his German rival has taken ten years to learn by well-directed study; or that a community overstocked with doctors and lawyers and understocked with trained captains of industry is well prepared to battle for world commerce.

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Revenue is so scarce in Germany that frantic suggestions are being made to tax all hitherto duty-free articles—bachelors, cats, bicycles and even parrots. Already people are teaching their parrots to cry, "Down with the poll tax."

OYAMA'S DIFFICULT TASK.

So far the battle at Mukden has gone decidedly in favor of the Japanese. Oyama's bold strategy and the indomitable spirit of his soldiers have prevailed. He has expelled the enemy from intrenchments that have cost a winter's labor.

It remains to be seen whether the Japanese have strength enough left to drive their advantage home. Short of the capture or annihilation of Kuropatkin's forces, Oyama's victory must prove inconclusive. The Japanese have to carry a campaign without an objective. Kuropatkin has been a moving target, hit but never destroyed. Grant aimed his blows so as to reach Richmond. After Sadowa the Prussians had a clear road to Vienna. After Sedan the investment and capture of Paris was only a matter of time.

Oyama has had quite different task. Kuropatkin so far has fought and retired, fought again and retired, beaten but still able to recuperate in a new position. If he manages again to escape from the Japanese enveloping lines he will have succeeded in defeating Oyama's main purpose.

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We can have our battleships, but we must wait for the pneumatic tubes so necessary for our mails and the convenience of commerce.

IN A DESPERATE PLIGHT.

The story of the young couple belonging to the Newport-New York "set" who could not make both ends meet on a joint income of $360,000 a year is not a creation of humor. It may well be a mournful fact.

The needs of this young couple might be filled with a much smaller income. Some couples get along on $1000 a year, or about what this exalted married pair find insufficient for one day. But unhappily there is a cruel diversity between need and want, and whether want is satisfied or not there is fretting discontent,

Here below man needs little, but wants much. Getting what he needs he flourishes abundantly and does his appointed work in health with zest. Getting what he wants he gets dyspepsia along with it—intellectual, moral or bodily dyspepsia—perhaps all three.

Nobody ever was wise enough to bring need and want together as one. Probably nobody ever will be so wise. The poor young things who can't live on $360,000 a year are not singular or peculiar. They are struggling with the problem which baffles all of us, for we are all in the same boat.

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Seven governors of Massachusetts were born on the same day of the month, but not one of them in Boston.

POST-DISPATCH ANSWERS

Legal questions not answered. Business addresses not given. No bets decided. Write but one question. Sign but one initial. Address all questions, "Answers, Post-Dispatch, City." Use postal cards if convenient.

R.—Try Public Library.

PHILIP.—Sharks spawn.

L.—May 29, 1882, Monday.

J.—Ask or write bookstores.

J.—Copper can be melted by charcoal.

T.—Silver is quoted at 58.7 per ounce.

T. J.—For Mulvaney, see Kipling's books.

J. A. M.—Authors' names at Public Library.

KEHNE.—Globe Theater opened last spring.

A. B. C.—Treats for her come after theater.

MAE.—Josephine Cohan is with Rodgers Bros.

BLOCK.—In 1901 Mrs. Stanford had $30,000,000.

M. A. C.—Carleton formerly sang, but now rests.

BEESWING.—First Sherlock Holmes, book form.

R. F.—See Post-Dispatch dramatic page, March 5.

H. H.—Legislature expects to adjourn 20th or 25th.

L.—Write Panama Canal Commission. Washington.

GIBSON.—O'Neil made greatest hit in Monte Cristo.

SMALLWOOD.—See Chauvenet, 620 Chestnut street.

L.—Girl of age in one state at 18 is not so in others.

J. K.—There never was a detective Sherlock Holmes.

S. V.—Write Mr. Holmes Smith, Washington University.

X. Y. Z.—Romance, fiction giving scope to imagination.

A. B. C.—Mayor of Binghamton, N. Y., Samuel L. Smith.

J. A. S.—Mantell, "Light of Other Days," here last season.

J. F. W.—We have no record of total American drug stores.

S. T. V.—Main entrance Forest Park Highlands faces north.

N.—Parker carried Greater New York by 33,149 over Roosevelt.

GEORGE J. Write agricultural department for mushroom facts.

O. H. E.—Write C. N. Page, Des Moines, Io., for goldfish book.

J. H. K.—Any lawyer will take your case for a proportion of the verdict.

W. O.—Try hanging shined silk in fresh air. If ironed again there should be a cloth over it.

BELLEVILLE.—To remove shine: With a piece of fine emery cloth, rub the nap up a little.

B. B. B.—Military brushes are so-called because they were made for the convenience of military men.

L.—Voter at Democratic primaries has no right to vote at Republican primaries, even if he is a Republican.

X. Y. Z.—To remove blood stains: Soak in cold water, then wash in warm water with plenty of soap, then boil.

F. C. B.—At Grand Central Depot, New York, 1170 trains arrive and depart each 24 hours, or one-half each way.

H.—The letters of Adina in "The Prince of the House of David" were written by the Rev. J. H. Ingraham himself.

D. B.—Fragments of United States bill, less than three-fifths, are redeemed at face value when accompanied by affidavits.

FRIEND.—We have not the address of anyone who has seen a dead jackass, but jackasses are, fortunately, not immortal.

L. R. B.—History has failed to record the number of pieces in the Ferris wheel and the time it would take for one man to "tear it down."

C. R.—It is the duty of the interior department to answer any letteraddressed "Interior Department." Your letter may have been mislaid or miscarried.

PARSIFAL.—Wear tuxedo when you are to sit; tail coat when you are to stand. Never wear opera hat with tuxedo. Black tie, with tuxedo; gloves, white or pearl gray; white lawn tie for full dress.

MRS. SMITH.—Pour sulphur into cup and add molasses according to thickness you may desire; stir well and take teaspoonful, night and morning, every alternate three days, or oftener, as may be indicated.

N. G.—Hair parasites: Saturate head and hair with coal oil for three or four hours; wash thoroughly in warm water with good soap. When the hair is dry, wash it again in good, strong vinegar, drying it without using a towel. Next, wash again with soap and water. One application of the coal oil and the vinegar is likely to be sufficient.

D.—To render cloth less absorbent of water and dampness: Two quarts soft water. Dissolve one ounce isinglass in one pint; one-quarter ounce good soap in one pint; one ounce alum in one quart. Strain, mix and simmer for ten minutes. Brush over cloth while hot. Give second coat when dry, all on reverse side. Ready for use in three days. If fabric is very thin, add a little glue and gum arabic to the solution and dip the cloth, not brush it.

JUST A MINUTE FOR Post-Dispatch Verse and... Humor

A March Day.

(To be read with the fingers crossed.)

The air is clear and balmy;
  The earth is bright and fair;
Was ever there a vernal day
  So perfect and so rare?
There's not a cloud to darken
  The warm and radiant sun,
And not a chilling wind astir—
  No, not a single one.

The leaves will soon be peeping,
  At such a rate as this,
And daffodils will gaily bloom,
  And earth and sky will kiss.
Then Nature, with triumphant
  And vibrant voice will sing,
And every human heart will swell,
  Rejoicing in the spring.

Feed the Poor Millionaire.

It is with a feeling akin to pain that we observe that the William McKinley High School Memorial Association is preparing to blow in $110 on a bunch of chaste statuary to adorn the magnificent temple of education of which the members are patrons.

While we believe in education to a limited extent—that is, as long as it does not interfere with the operation of our penitentiaries and state legislatures—we hesitate to go on record as favoring a reckless outlay of money for works of art to adorn schoolrooms!

When it is considered that there are six of these statues—Julius Caesar, Michael Angelo, Longfellow, Mozart, Benjamin Franklin and the late Isaac Newton—it can easily be computed that such a purchase means the expenditure of more than 18 bucks apiece right off of the reel.

Eighteen dollars is an awful lot of money to blow in at one time, and it is to be hoped that the members of the McKinley High School Memorial Association will pause and reflect before it shall finally commit itself to such a course. Let the gentlemen pause, as we do, and ask themselves, as we have done, "Who are J. Caesar, Mike Angelo, Hy. Longfellow, Wolfgang Mozart, B. Franklin and Ike Newton, that we should honor them by placing statues of them in our halls of education? Why should we go to such an unwarranted expense as this when there are so many starving millionaires in our midst, and when John D. Rockefeller is hardly able to afford a shirt to his back? Shall we buy statuary when common humanity demands that we should invest this money in $110 worth of ham sandwiches for hungry trust presidents?"

Let us be humane, even at the sacrifice of our artistic tastes. Let no millionaire be despised, for he, too, is human, the same as we.

That Lenten Gag.

Now, hurry up, somebody,
  Before the time is spent,
And spring that old, old gag about
  The umberell that's lent.

Their Mutual Friend.

Bessye: Why does Clara's grammar remind you of one of Dickens' novels?
Tessye: Because it's all of a twist.

Will They Never Cease?

Still blow the breezes rude and boreal
Around the deadlock senatorial.

Procrastination, the thief of time, will find it difficult to get away with Mr. Skiff's new mahogany clock. It is six feet high and weighs accordingly.

Oh, all ye complaining and dissatisfied women, think of Cassie Chadwick, locked up in jail and unable to attend the spring millinery openings!

Citizen says he was robbed of $6.63 at 1 o'clock a. m. Don't you believe it. A man as careful as that would carry his money inside of his shirt.

The Browns have players of seven different nationalities, and they will probably play that many kinds of baseball this season.

"Where is heaven?" inquires the New York Herald. But really, now, is it quite fair to ask us to give her exact address?

Essays of Little Bobbie.

From the Milwaukee Sentinel.

GREAT MEN.

Grate men are only a few and we doant get to know many of them beekause thay keep busy staying grate.

most of the grate men aint living now they are ded or else thay are like the rulers of Russia thay wish thay was ded and thay will get thare wish all rite. i doant know any grate men myself i think Pa knows sum of them but he nevver brings none of them home to dinner I guess he thinks thay will be afrade of Ma the saim as he is but I guess grate men aint afrade of no women you see Pa aint grate.

i will try to tell you about sum grate men one is general Kuropatkin he is grate in sum ways he is a grate runner.

Saint Paul was a grate man who had a city naimed after him it is a grate city too but Milwaukee is grater thare is moar doing here i think.

mister Bryan is a grate man except in politicks whare he aint as grate as sum others.

mister Jeffries is the gratest man, he can lick anyone one time Pa was mad and said "I wudent take that from Jeffries" and Ma said Shaw he can lick 8 like yu.

Reflections of a Bachelor.

From the New York Press.

It takes a woman to get happiness out of her unhappiness.

No matter what the color of a girl's eyes, she is a blond if her hair says so.

When a man tells a woman he loves her she believes it if she knows it isn't so.

A woman couldn't help feeling proud at having on her best nightgown if a burglar came.

A man feels very hard up after he has had a dream where he was making lots of money.

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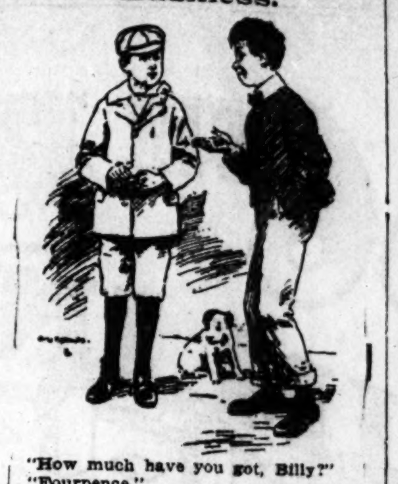
Business.

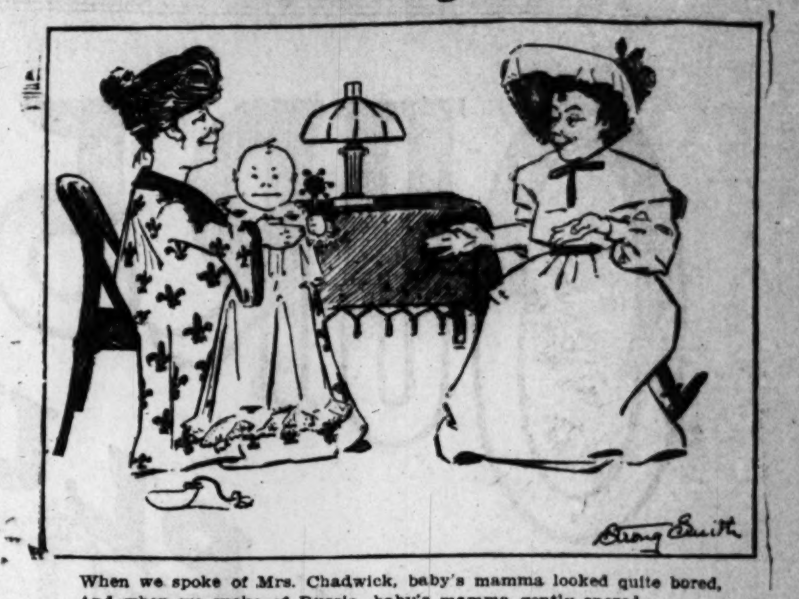


"How much have you got, Billy?"
"Fourpence."
"I've got twopence. Let's put it together and go halves!"—London Punch.

The Real Thing.

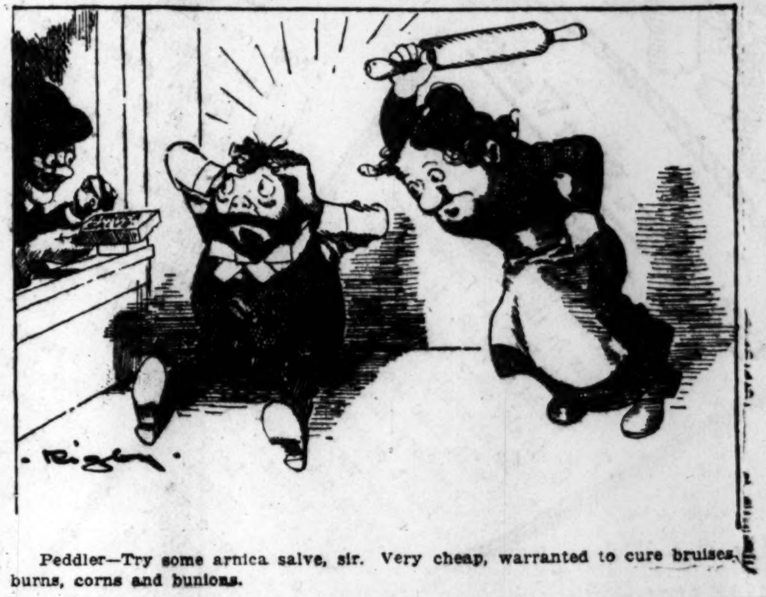
A Kansas woman who had just experienced religion at a revival said: "I feel as if a tub of strained honey had been upset on my soul!" No one can doubt the genuineness of such a conversion as that.—Denver Post.

Something New.



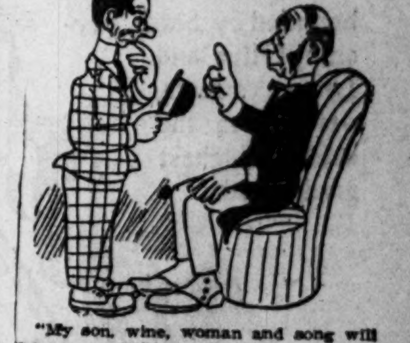
When we spoke of Mrs. Chadwick, baby's mamma looked quite bored,
And when we spoke of Russia, baby's mamma gently snored.
"Oh, let us talk of bottled milk and baby's clothes and things!
Oh, let us talk of colic and of rubber teething rings!
Why bother about politics and things so dry and dead,
When there's something interesting to talk about," she said.

Johnny on the Spot.



Peddler—Try some arnica salve, sir. Very cheap, warranted to cure bruises, burns, corns and bunions.

The Wise Boy.



"My son, wine, woman and song will be your ruin."
"Then I'll have to give up my singing lessons!"

A Broad Hint.

He had been dining with a gentleman who is apt to be careful rather than lavish in his hospitality. "Well," said his host, cheerily, as he was going, "when will you dine with me again?" "Now," replied the guest briefly, eyeing with disapproval his slack waistcoat.

NEW YORK NEWSPAPER VIEWS

This Morning's Comments on Today's News by the Leading Metropolitan Journals.

By Leased Wire From the New York Bureau of the Post-Dispatch.

NEW YORK, March 9.—The World says:

"In appointing Arthur J. McClure, Lou Payn's brother-in-law, to a consulship at Barbadoes, President Roosevelt has completed the recognition of all the many elements in the New York Republican organization.

"Mr. William J. Bryan was probably correct in saying that President Roosevelt is the best politician in the United States. He certainly is the best in the state of New York."

The Evening Post quotes approvingly the Birmingham (Ala.) Age-Herald's warning against restricting the franchise further, "unless the state is willing to be governed by a small and by no means select electorate, and is willing to have a large body of whites who cannot vote and who are, therefore, indifferent to all public duties."

The Post then says: "This is precisely the danger which comes from the limitation of suffrage. Once begun, there is very great difficulty in stopping. Rule out negroes first and you naturally feel like discriminating against the poor writes; then your unscrupulous politicians find an easy excuse for still further limitations which promise to keep them in power. The awakening in Alabama is hopeful, but it should include the re-enfranchisement of qualified negroes as well."

The Sun says: "With no desire to defend any commercial iniquities of the beef men, it may be said that the clamor which led to Mr. Garfield's investigation fairly illustrates an unfortunate tendency in our national character.

"The price of beef advances, oil goes up a few cents a gallon and railways begin to pay dividends on watered stocks. Some one starts a hue and cry and the public is off on a hot scent to trail a gang of extortioners to its lair. In the case of the Beef Trust the trail appears to have led to a group of men whose profits are by no means inordinate. So we return, grumbling because we found no wickeder quarry, and pay the old prices for our roasts and steaks. So will it be with oil and with railway rates. The exercise is probably good for us, but the results are inconsiderable."

"If the object of the prosecution of the Northern Securities Co. was to restore a competitive system, it has failed absolutely," says the Globe. "The result of the whole struggle is a non-competitive arrangement in the Northwest little, if any, less secure than the Northern Securities Co. would have been if allowed to stand."

"It is announced that Secretary Taft will take some three score senators and representatives to the Philippines this summer and they will visit most of the accessible parts of the island," says the Times.

"We cannot profess much confidence in the results of such a visit. The amount and kind of information that can be obtained under these conditions may do as much harm to the minds of visitors as it can do good. Confused impressions, based on personal observation, are no more useful and may be less useful than the ignorance that frankly trusts to expert counsel.

"There are several pretty complex problems presented to the government of the Philippines, in none of which is the progress actually made very encouraging. After the maintenance of order, nothing will pay better there than good common roads, cheap and well managed railroads as fast as may be, facility of trade and cheap and good government. If the congressmen can keep these points in mind, their visit will do them as much good as can reasonably be expected."

SOME EXCELLENT LENTEN DISHES.

From the American Woman's Review.

Lent Soup.

Mix one ounce of corn flour to a smooth paste with one gill of milk, put it into a saucepan (enameled), adding gradually one and a half pints of white stock, and boil it gently until the flour is cooked, then move the saucepan to the back of the stove. Take the yolks of two eggs and just break them and add to the soup, stirring them all the time. They should thicken, but not boil. Put in a lump of butter, turn the soup into a tureen, and serve at once.

Potato Puree.

Cut one pint of potatoes into pieces, and cover them with one quart of stock. Boil until the potatoes are soft. Press the broth through a hair sieve; add about two ounces of butter, season with half a tablespoonful of salt and a teaspoonful of pepper; cook well for thirty minutes, then strain the soup, adding half a cupful of cream, and serve with dices of toast. Do not let it boil again after the cream has been added.

Fish—Spanish Style.

There is a Spanish way for cooking salt fish, which is very tasty and worth trying. The fish should be soaked all day, and then boiled gently in plenty of water till tender. When done, drain the fish, take away all of the bones, and flake the flesh with two forks. Peel and slice a large onion, and fry it a light brown in a stewpan; then add the fish, with a little tomato sauce and some pepper, and simmer it gently for an hour and a half, stirring now and then. At the end of that time turn the mixture on to a hot dish and serve at once. A nice souffle can also be made with salt fish, if the details are carefully attended to. Take a pound of chopped cooked salt fish, and mix it with eight cooked and mashed potatoes. Add two large tablespoonfuls of oiled butter, nearly half a pint of milk, two well-beaten eggs, and pepper to taste. Pile the mixture on a dish and keep it warm in the oven. Meanwhile, separate the whites and yolks of two eggs, and beat the latter to a stiff froth, then shake the whites lightly into the yolks of the eggs, spread it over the fish, and place it in the oven again till slightly brown. Serve with any sauce or without, as preferred.

Lent Pies.

Boil one and a half ounces of ground rice in half a pint of milk, add two ounces of batter and two ounces of sugar, a pinch of salt, two well-beaten eggs, and a flavoring of nutmeg or cinnamon. Line some small pans with flaky paste, put in some of the custard, sprinkle a few currants on the top, and bake the pies in a moderate oven. The custard should be firm, and the oven not too hot, otherwise the moisture from the former will soak into the pastry and make it heavy.

LETTERS FROM THE PEOPLE.

Letters on all matters of public interest not exceeding 100 words, will be printed in this department. To insure publication be brief. Most suggestions, complaints, etc., can be written in much less than the 100-word limit. "Boil it down."

Love Held in Contempt.

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch.

The cause of so many unhappy marriages is the lack of true love. Young minds are poisoned by frivolous agnostic remarks made about love; more especially is this true among young men.

A revival of true love, reverenced and respected in the home, recognized and honored on the street, in the club and shop, will solve the divorce problem.

A. YOUNG MAN.

Alton, Ill.

Coupons With Marriage Certificates.

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch.

As a preventive of hasty marriages I would suggest a marriage certificate with a kind of coupon attachment that must be torn off by the clergyman or justice and returned to the license department, say a week before marriage, otherwise be not legal.

J. R.

Practical Education.

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch.

This is said to be a thoroughly practical age. Would it not be better evidenced by a change in the course of studies in the public schools, which shall include the teaching of stenography and typewriting? This certainly is a more helpful quantity in battling for bread and butter than algebra and other studies. Every boy and girl is taught to looking forward to making dollars as their first aim in life. Education as means of elevation is subordinated to being successful—like Rockefeller; and at the portals of business the High school graduates find themselves lacking and must give up the graceful and beautiful for the coarser, in order to make money. Why not educate ready for life—i. e., business at once.

JOSEPH BARRATT.

The Origin of Magna Charta.

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch.

The Rev. Newell Dwight Hillis in a contribution to the Post-Dispatch tells us that in the 13th century the English serfs had their revolution, forcing King John to grant the Magna Charta. All British historians without exception, disagree with Mr. Hillis. They state it was neither the Saxons nor the Serfs, but the Norman-French barons, De Vere, De Lacy, De Clare, Fitzwalter, etc., who forced King John to grant that immortal document. Lord Macauley in his history of England scorchingly remarks that the Haytian negroes had as much right to dwell with pride in the greatness of Louis XIV and to speak of Blenheim and Ramillies with patriotic regret as the Anglo-Saxons had to appropriate to themselves the glory and greatness of England. How appropriate these words of Macaulay are to the Anglo-Saxon boasters of today.

DR. HENRY W. CURTIN.

A Clever Woman Writer.

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch.

I think that readers of your popular daily, especially those who have entered upon the matrimonial season, those contemplating matrimony, are more or less indebted to Nixola Greeley-Smith for valuable information appearing in the Post-Dispatch each evening. Few papers reserve space for such an important topic, and when it is supplied by a brilliant contributor such as Miss Greeley-Smith, it should be duly appreciated.

B. LEE C.

A Grewsome Prophecy.

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch.

Look forward for the world's peace before many years, for machines will be invented that will slaughter men in such numbers that it will be an impossibility for any nation to furnish men enough to stand against them.

ONE WHO KNOWS.

Marriage for Support.

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch.

In regards to the existing divorce evil, I do not think we have or ever can have under the capitalistic system a law that will remedy the evil. Do away with the economic conditions that compel a girl to marry to save herself from drudgery or worse, and give men an opportunity to support their families as they should be supported, and the evil will disappear.

T. G. M.

ILLUSTRATED MAGAZINE FOR HOME READERS

THURSDAY EVENING,
MARCH 9, 1905.

The Socialist:

A Romance of Workers Who Plan the Realization of a Dream.

By IVAN WHIN,

Author of "Bradlie," "A Sapphire Princess," "The Girl With Grey Eyes," "The Shadow Clue," Etc.

Began Monday — Ends Sunday.

SYNOPSIS OF PRECIDING CHAPTERS.

Frederick Stahl is a socialist. He lives in a South Broadway boarding house. Jack Wesch, another boarder, is in love with Amalie Schultz, daughter of the boarding-house keeper. Jack is an engineer's assistant, earns a comfortable salary, but has wasted a good deal in drink and gambling. Amalie is saving his money and when there is $300 in bank they are to be married. From the window of his room Stahl sees a man at work at retorts in the attic of a house across the street. An explosion wrecks the house and the man, an anarchist named Max Ehrmann, is thrown into the street, dead and mangled. At a socialist meeting in Concordia Hall Stahl meets Alice Rebman, who speaks on socialism. He accompanies her to her home on South Broadway and is leaving her when a policeman arrests him for complicity in the death of Ehrmann, cleared of this charge on the testimony of Alice's father, who was able to tell the real cause of Ehrmann's death, he becomes the leader in the Ninth ward of the Public Ownership party, which has put up Winters for mayor.

CHAPTER IV.

A Flight Over Housetops.

THE campaign absorbed Stahl. In a momant of irritation at the shallow leader, Winters, he had thought of deserting him, but the cause he represented was of more moment than the man. Stahl realized that, for the first time in St. Louis, there was a chance of electing a man who stood for a part of the socialist program—what is known as an extreme moderate. The radical socialists threatened to bolt and put up a candidate who would receive only a few thousands of conscience votes. Stahl found himself enlisted in the fight to bring that strength to Winters.

He argued for the entering wedge of socialism. Stout William Burger laughed at his argument.

"You think that a muncipal-lighting plant and city-owned street railways is socialism?" demanded Burger. "Is a government-operated postoffice socialism?"

"Yes. The entering wedge is the absorbtion by government of all industries that are inherently monopolies. After we have accomplished that much we can nationalize the land and all industries—first the food supply, then the other necessities and finally the luxuries."

"Naturalize the land," said Herman Holtz "That will end the fight. You will see then no further use for your program."

"Pouf!" shouted Burger excitedly, "we are to hely you to put the same old patches on that the short-nose politicians have been trying to paste on ever since government began. We stand for the only rational scheme and we cannot afford to compromise. So to your Republicans with your petty plan of public ownership of monopolies."

The argument was in the sitting room of Rebman's house. Great clouds of smoke encircled the speakers yet Alice Rebman was there and Stahl saw her eyes glowing brightly through the haze. He felt that she was on his side and devoted his whole mind to the task of overcoming the objections of Burger and his friends. He harped on the entering wedge, the necessity for giving something before much could be obtained. He used figures of comparison and as Burger picked flaws with them he abandoned them and introduced the argument in a new form. He realized that he was making a lawyer's plea, that he was often sophistical, yet he realized too that he was gaining ground in Burger's mind and in Alice's regard.

At last he risked the question: "Your group will abide by what you men say; now will you vote to join us? Come, Burger."

"Well I don't know but you are right. We should not waste our strength," said the brewer.

"Now, Schwartz, what say you?"

"I join."

"Johanos Michlos."

"I join."

And so around the table Kudos, Boehm, Kueffel, Schmidt and Staeger gave their adhesion to the Winters candidacy.

They talked long and late arose to depart. Stah lingered behind for a word with Alice. She shook her hand in her enthusiastic way.

"Oh, you are strong," she said. 'You swayed them as even Winters could not."

He thought there was something more than admiration in her tone, he hoped there was more for his heart had gone out to her and he knew that if she did not learn to love him there would be no happiness for him.

Jack Wesch showed an unexpected inknewledged leader. It did not check Stahl's on many occasions in rounding up adherents in the ward where Stahl was the acknowledged leader. I did not check Stahl's gratification when he learned that it was only the excitement of a fight that attracted Jack, for he had grown to be a politician and any material he gathered strengthened his position.

One night there was an open-air meeting in Lemp's park. The crowd was mixed and the speeches in German and Engish were applauded and hooted equally. Stahl spoke and was treated to more hooting than his predecessors. He introduced Winters, who stood in the center of the stage a long time waiting for the howls that had arisen on his appearance to cease. When he realized that his continuance there would lead to fighting he retired and the meeting broke up in disorder.

Stahl and Wesch started home, going out of the garden through the foyer to the hall and escaping the seething crowd at the gates.

Wesch was enjoying the affair with the careless zest of a youth who loves noise and excitement. He wanted to stay, for he knew there would be fights but Stahl would not permit him and almost forcibly dragged him away.

"They sent Indians down to break up the meeting and in the hope that we would fight," said Stahl. "If we go quietly home they will have no cause to complain of us in the papers."

"Oh, they'll call us anarchists, anyhow. We might as well have the game as the name," said Wesch.

They stopped in a saloon for a drink and found the place full of boisterous men. A howl greeted Stahl's entrance. He went to the bar without heeding the noise and called for beer.

A burly man shouldered him away from the bar and then fiercely charged him with shoving. Stahl apologized meekly, but the burly ruffian poured out a flood of foul language.

"Hit him, Fred," whispered Jack. "Hit him, hit him."

The ruffian turned on Wesch and struck him. Stahl's heavy fist shot out and the man who had insulted him lay prone on the floor, but his companions rushed upon Stahl and Wesch, who fought with desperation, and were crowded back against a door.

The odds were too great and Stahl having cleared a space about him wrenched open the door, thrust Jack outside and an instant later followed him. He closed and held the door against the howling crowd until he perceived a hasp and staple with which the saloon man had been wont to padlock the door when he retired at night.

The men were in a small area, inclosed by brick buildings on four sides. There was only one doorway beside the one through which they had come and Jack found this locked. They heard frantic beatings on the saloon door and saw it shiver under the blows.

"We are on the fire," said Wesch. "They'll break down the door and kill us when they get here."

"We must get out," Stahl said. "The only way is up those vines. Can you climb them?"

A strong old vine ran up the back of the saloon. Wesch caught it and swung himself up hand over hand. It swayed and some of its fastenings gave way, but he made progress nearly to the top of the second story. There he caught the top of a blind and taking his weight off the vine that grew thin and insecure at that height was able to reach the gutter at the roof's edge.

Slowly and painfully he got up on the roof that slanted but slightly at that point, and, looking back, saw Stahl coming up the vine. The fastenings gave way more freely under the pull of the heavier man, and at the imminent danger of falling head foremost into the area Jack leaned over the gutter and grasped the strongest of the vine's top shoots to steady it.

Stahl reached the top of the blind as the saloon door gave way. Jack drew off his coat and held an end of it over the gutter's edge.

"Catch on and I'll pull," he cried.

Stahl caught it and Jack, lying on his back, braced his feet in the gutter and pulled. Over the edge came his friend, working as coolly as if in a gymnasium, while below them the ruffian and his friends howled. A revolver ball whistled close to Stahl's head as he gained the roof. He lay there on his face panting.

A new note in the cries below attracted Jack's attention. "Some one has opened that locked door," he said. "They'll find the stairway and come up."

Stahl struggled to his feet. "Let's get on over the roofs," he said.

The houses in the block were of many heights, but the buildings touched each other throughout its length and the differences in heights were not great. They moved cautiously over the slight incline of the saloon building roof and ran over the level one that adjoined, shinned up a wall to a higher and steeper roof and crawled along the ridge.

Stahl's breath came in gasps and when they confronted another wall, though it was lower than the one he had clambered up a moment before, he stopped dead beat.

The moonlight behind threw silhouetted thin figures for men in the street who cried out and fired at them. Behind them they heard the crash of a broken window and knew that their pursuers were breaking out of a dormer window on the street side of the saloon building roof.

The danger gave Stahl strength and he reached the next roof, which, luckily, was slightly hipped.

"I can't go far," he said. "See if you can find a hatch. Will have to risk going down into a house."

"Here's the hatch," called Jack from the rear of the roof after a brief search. It lifted easily, and letting himself down into the hole he said: "It's a ladder. Look out and draw the hatch over you when you're down."

In a moment Stahl had followed and drawn the hatch over, heard it settle firmly into place and descended the steep ladder. They stood in a hot, dusty attic, and heard not a sound of their pursuers. Wesch moved about cautiously, but loose boards clattered under his feet.

"Who's there?" some one called from below. It was a woman's voice.

The fugitives were silent a moment and then the call came again, nervously insistent.

Wesch could see a space where the gloom seemed lightened and he made for it boldly. He had found the stairway to the lower floor. He called down in a low tone:

"Two men are here. We won't hurt you. Men are looking for us to kill us. Don't scream. We are coming down."

There was no sound from below and the fugitives went down. Scarcely had they reached the lower hall when they heard the hatch lifted and voices of their pursuers.

"They must have got down this way," said one.

"Foolish," said the other. "They went on to the building with dormer windows. Don't you see that open window?"

"Maybe they did, but we ought to look down here."

"You look," said the other, "I'm going on."

The hatch fell again into place.

A woman bearing a lamp came into the hall where Stahl and Wesch were standing. She was lightly clothed, as if she had been preparing for bed. Her eyes were very wide, but she did not seem afraid.

Stahl hastened to apologize. He was still breathing hard and his words came in gasps.

She smiled at him and he was aware that she was very pretty. Her hair was dark and her skin a rich olive. The arm that held the lamp was bare and beautifully rounded.

"Ah, Mr. Stahl, what a funny figure you make!" she said. "You are the leader that ran away."

He smiled, too. "I live to fight another day," he gasped.

Jack told the story of the row and fight and flight in a few words. In the midst of his narration they heard the hatch scraping as someone lifted it. Jack was instantly silent and held up a warning hand.

"Down you go," they heard someone on the roof command.

"Quick! Get into my room," said the girl. "Get under the bed and hide."

The fugitives darted into the room and the girl followed. She blew out the light and the three stood in the darkness near the chamber door, which they had closed.

To Be Continued in the Post-Dispatch Friday.

Labor Saving Machines.

An engineer declares that 50,000 people now do the work with the aid of machinery which needed 16,000,000 persons to do a few years ago.

Archbishop at Lenten Service.

Archbishop Glennon preached at the first of the noonday Lenten services held at the Old Cathedral Wednesday. He urged the study of the life of Christ as a Lenten devotion. The services will be held each Wednesday and Friday until Easter.

CHOOSE YOUR OWN AGE

By Nixola Greeley-Smith, Granddaughter of Horace Greeley.

Written for the Post-Dispatch.

Nixola Greeley-Smith.

The good-looking defendant in a pending divorce case has put in the novel defense to her young husband's suit that she is 45 years old and a grandmother.

Now, when a woman admits to 45 it is usually proper to raise her at least 20 in forming an estimate of the number of candles on her birthday cake. But in this instance there is apparently no discrepancy between the lady's statement and her face.

"Good names in man or woman, dear, my
lord,
Is the immediate jewel of their souls."

At least we have Shakspeare's authority for the belief. But when was a woman heroic enough to tell her real age even in defense of the jewel of her soul, before?

To be sure, there is no reason why a woman shouldn't tell it. If she doesn't somebody else will and the truth from her lips will occasionally stun the others into silence.

The other day a young woman of 24, whose friends usually tell her that she doesn't look within several years of her age, encountered a jealous female who was given the opportunity of her life by a man who said:

"Just look at Miss Blank and then tell me how old she is."

The jealous person looked with seemingly careful scrutiny into the fact of the smiling young woman and said promptly: "Thirty."

Then, as the man gasped, she turned to the girl. "That's right, isn't it?" she inquired soberly. "No,' replied the latter. "You are very kind, but I cannot deceive you. I am 45." And thus was the knife turned upon the wielder thereof. In this case it was not the truth, but a lie that stunned. But generally, if you tell your real age, you are just as safe as if you had told a lie, for you won't be believed anyway.

A good rule is to make up your mind what your age is and stick to it in the face of birth certificates, family Bibles or bosom friends.

We have all heard the story of a sexagenarian siren of old Rome who, in Cicero's presence, blushingly admitted to 35. "That's so," corroborated the orator; "that's so; I've heard her say it for 40 years."

Whatever age you consider the most charming is yours for the taking, therefore one's for the asking. And after yau have adopted it tell it everywhere to everybody and some few may believe it. Almost any age other than your own will answer, for that seemingly, whatever it is, is one that no one will accept. Consistency is the one thing that counts in this as in every other problem of life.

INDIANS FAIL IN ETIQUETTE.

Therefore They Are Denied Visit at White House.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

WASHINGTON, March 9.—The President refused to see a delegation of Sioux chiefs, consisting of Shooting Hawk, Eagle Track, Yellow Thunder, Hollow Horn and Charging Bear, because they had not observed official etiquette. They called at the White House as soon as they arrived, but the President sent them word that they must first pay their respects to Indian Commissioner Leupp, who would make an appointment for them.

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The Delineator for April

OUT TO-DAY

heralds the coming of the Directoire vogue in all its many-sided charms.

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An especially noteworthy feature of this number is

The first article by Helen Berkeley-Loyd

who will hereafter write for THE DELINEATOR exclusively, furnishing each month the "New York Letter" which will be illustrated with her original creations.

Mrs. Berkeley-Loyd possesses the art instinct in the highest degree, and has undoubtedly done more to influence Style in Dress in this country during the past five years than any other one person. Her efforts have been felt not alone in the circles of high society, where she has long been the creator of designs for herself and for her friends, but she has also invaded the realm of the stage, and many of the greatest costume successes owe their origin to her.

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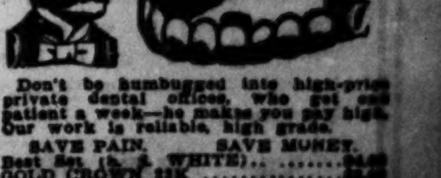

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ANTI-BRIBE BILL HELD TO BE LEGAL

Attorney-General Hadley Submits Opinion on Law Advocated by Gov. Folk.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

JEFFERSON CITY, Mo., March 9.—Attorney-General Hadley, through Secretary Roach, submitted an opinion to the Senate today in which the anti-bribery bill, advocated by Gov. Folk, is held to be perfectly constitutional.

RAIN SPOILED DOUBLE WEDDING

Men Married Each Other's Sisters, but Not at Same Time, as Planned.

Two weddings prevented from being a double wedding by the rain Wednesday morning, took place in Edwardsville, Ill. Wednesday. The couples were Miss Sarah M. Partridge and Calvin Calloway Wheeler, and Miss May Wheeler and Fred Allen Partridge.

All the young people live near Alhambra, Ill. The Partridge family resides a mile from that town, while the Wheelers live four miles farther.

Each Sunday evening the young men would pass on the road, each going to visit the other's sister. A double wedding was planned.

Wheeler and Miss Partridge reached Edwardsville Wednesday noon and after waiting for the other couple, procured a license and were married. A few hours later Partridge and Miss Wheeler reached Edwardsville, hoping to be there in time for a double ceremony. They were married by County Judge J. E. Hillskotter. They explained they had made every effort to get an earlier train, but had been prevented by the rain.

Her Limit.

From the Detroit Free Press.

Miss Sweetly: Mrs. Blank says she tries to have one good, charitable thought every day. Miss Sharyly: I thought that was about her limit; but I'm surprised that she admits it herself.

DOCTOR'S VOICE SCARES BURGLARS

Dr. F. W. Bauer, From Window, Sees Two Men Breaking Into a Grocery Store.

TELEPHONED TO POLICE.

When Officers Failed to Arrive in Time He Called to Housebreakers, Who Fled.

Dr. Frederick W. Bauer prevented the robbery of the grocery store of Arthur H. Kralemann, at 1435 Chambers street, at 1 o'clock Thursday morning by calling out to the robbers and frightening them away.

Dr. Bauer is the brother-in-law of Mr. Kralemann and lives above the store. He had been in bed only a short time when he was awakened by a noise. He looked out of the rear and the front windows, but could see nothing. He concluded that he might have been mistaken and went to bed again.

Presently there was the sound of crashing glass downstairs. He quickly called up Night Chief of Police Gillaspy and asked that police be sent. From the front window he saw two young men standing on the curb, waiting, seemingly, to see if anybody had been awakened by the noise.

He threw up the window and demanded what they were doing. Without answering they ran south on Blair avenue.

Five minutes later police arrived from the North Market street station in a patrol wagon. They found that the screen protecting the front window had been removed and a stone hurled through the glass.

From the Bar.

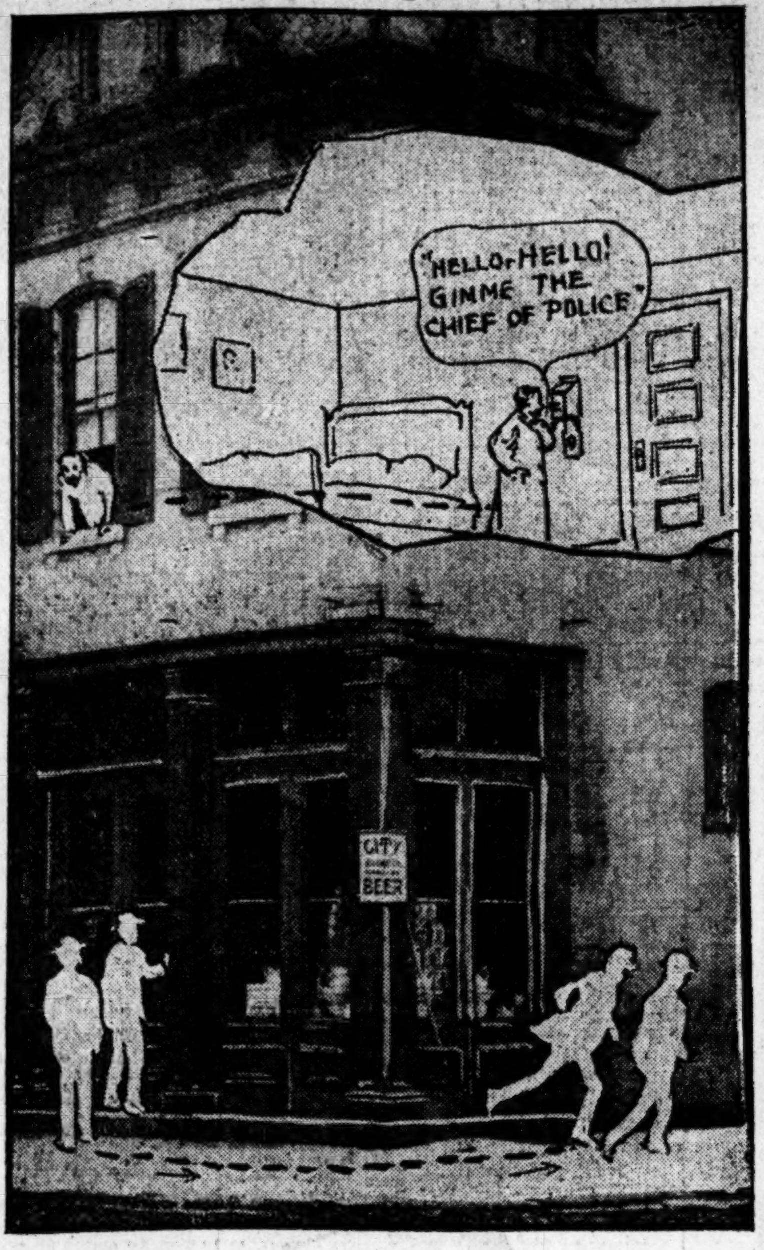
From the Philadelphia Public Ledger.

"I hear your old friend Tankley was disbarred the other day."

"Disbarred? Why, he was never a lawyer."

"Of course not. I mean he was ejected Little Girl: I was 8 years old yesterday.

Diagram Showing How Telephone Was Used to Foil Two Burglars on Chambers St.


"HELLO, HELLO! GIMME THE CHIEF OF POLICE"
CITY BEER

OLD SWEETHEARTS REUNITED BY FATE

Marriage Quickly Follows Chance Meeting of Kitty Nelson and George L. Cuendet.

Miss Kitty Weems Nelson, of Los Angeles, Cal., and George L. Cuendet, nephew of the late Francois E. Cuendet, a pioneer St. Louis jeweler, have just been married in St. Louis as the culmination of a romance which had its beginning here, was interrupted by a long separation, and then resumed only by the happy accident of a chance meeting on a St. Louis street, each visting this city unknown to the other.

George L. Coudet, who is manager of the Anheuser-Busch ice plant at Shreveport, La., was reared in St. Louis. So, too, was the pretty Kitty Weems Nelson, whose mother, formerly Miss Kate Weems, first married a nephew of Senator Fair of California and returned to St. Louis following her husband's death and prior to the second marriage that made her Mrs. Nelson. Young Cuendet and Kitty Nelson were schoolmates together at the Blow School in St. Louis, and there began the romance now ending in marriage.

Following the time of their childhood sweethearting, however, came a period of six years during which the two young people saw nothing of one another and when their romance seemed to have ended with their school life Kitty Nelson's mother moved from St. Louis to Los Angeles, where she has since lived, and young Cuendet went to Shreveport.

It was on her way from the East that Miss Nelson stopped over in St. Louis this week. Fate was now at work in the matter of her old romance with George L. Coudet.

Neither did young Mr. Cuendet, who himself impelled by fate, had come to St. Louis at the same time.

The renewal of old ties, indeed, was so fervent that Mr. Cuendet became almost instantly a suitor of his school-days sweetheart and urged her until she consented to marry him. On Tuesday night, therefore, the couple went out to the Lafayette Park Methodist Church and were made husband and wife by the Rev. Dr. Palmore, pastor of that church.

They then returned to the Planters' Hotel, and the bride wrote her mother a long letter, informing her of the marriage. They will make a bridal journey to that city.

BOYCOTT OF KANSAS OIL ON ONCE MORE

Thirty-Degree Order of Prairie Company Taken as Indication of Standard's Defiance.

CHANUTE, Kan., March 9.—The order of the Prairie Oil and Gas Co. to run no more oil below 30 degrees, which practically means a renewal of the boycott of the Kansas field, will, it is believed, result disastrously to those individuals and companies which, figuring on a return of full buying and better conditions, have resumed operations.

E. C. Martin, one of the largest producers in the field, said: "It is another act of defiance. It is another effort to crowd the Kansas producer to the wall. It will bring independent refineries here and make a market for fuel oil."

W. E. Connelly, member of the advisory board of the Kansas Oil Producers' Association, said the order was only another move on the part of the Standard to show its contempt for the Kansas operators.

MINSTRELS AS SOLDIERS.

Camp Scene Depicted by Emerson Instead of First Part.

A large audience saw the performance given Wednesday night at Liederkranz Hall, in Belleville, under the name of the Emerson minstrels.

The something different, which had been promised, turned out to be a military camp scene, in lieu of the conventional first part. The participants were dressed as soldiers and officers, and the solos and choruses were sung around the campfire.

The end men, Louis and Walter Bischof, Gus Koerner and Dave Thomas, represented soldiers from a negro regiment. Joseph Buse of St. Louis, as interlocutor, was caparisoned as a general.

The entertainment was pleasing throughout. It was given under the direction of James Stanley. The others taking part were Robert Smith, William Schrader, Fred Fleischbein, Theodore Smith, Walter Rhein, Felix Rhein, George Ravold, John Rohan and Ferd Fuess.

Chair Factory Is Burned.

FORT SMITH, Ark., March 9.—The Fort Smith Chair Co.'s plant, the largest of the kind in the southwest, burned today with $28,000 loss.

Trust Earnings $22,304,696.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

NEW YORK, March 9.—At the annual meeting of the American Tobacco Co. the treasurer reported that the net earnings for the year were $22,304,696. The total surplus of the trust is $[illegible]9,518,880.

QUICK ACTION BY PEOPLE'S PARTY

In 15 Minutes Nominates Candidates, Builds Platform and Goes Forth.

The People's Municipal party of Belleville, which was born Wednesday night, acts on the motto, "Do it quick."

The party was born, christened, nominated candidates and built a platform for them to stand on all in 15 minutes.

Marin Schnipper, who has had experience in the Belleville City Council and the Illinois Legislature, was nominated for mayor. The platform adopted declares hostility to the administration of Mayor Kern.

There were over 400 men in the Courthouse when the meeting was called to order by John Green, district president of the United Mine Workers. Alderman Edward Neuf was secretary. The platform was adopted first. It is particularly opposed to the passage of ordinances "to fool the public."

The nominations were as follows: For mayor, Martin Schnipper; for city clerk, Fred Brumer; for city attorney, J. O. Miller; for assessor, Samuel Strohmberg; for aldermen: First ward, Henry J. Fredericks; Second ward, Fred Kretschmer; Third ward, James Ogden; Fourth ward, James Taylor; Fifth ward, Walter Rockemann; Sixth ward, Peter Zink; Seventh ward, Henry Link; for assistant supervisor, Joseph Betz, Jr.

James Taylor, alderman from the Fifth ward, attacked the extravagance of the present administration by reading a bill for $1100 allowed at the last meeting of the Council, which was presented by one firm for street cleaning.

$10,000 ASKED IN DAMAGE SUIT

Rupprecht and Threde Bring Action for Death of Sons.

The Chicago & Alton railway and the Illinois Glass Co. are made defendants in $10,000 damage suits filed at Edwardsville by Attorney J. J. Brenholt, of Alton.

The suit against the Chicago & Alton railway is that of Frederick Rupprecht, whose son, William, aged 12 years, was killed on Oct. 5, by an engine while crossing the tracks on Piasa street.

The suit against the Illinois Glass Co. is that of Wm. Threde for damages for the death of his son, Wm. Threde, Jr., killed in an explosion at the glass works last spring.

Woman's Nightmare

No woman's happiness can be complete without children; it is her nature to love and want them as much so as it is to love the beautiful and pure. The critical ordeal through which the expectant mother must pass, however, is so fraught with dread, pain, suffering and danger, that the very thought of it fills her with apprehension and horror. There is no necessity for the reproduction of life to be either painful or dangerous. The use of **Mother's Friend** so prepares the system for the coming event that it is safely passed without any danger. This great and wonderful remedy is always applied externally, and has carried thousands of women through the trying crisis without suffering.

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Friday only! A great line of taffeta silk Petticoats—good quality taffeta—made with flounce ruffle and heading—in green, dark red, black, brown, blue, tan and white—worth $6. Hurry if you want one. One day only at $2.98.

TOWN AWAITS MAN WITH $1000 FOR $1

North Alton Residents Hearing He Has Left Alton Prepare for Him.

The horizon is being scanned at North Alton today as it was never scanned before. Tidings have come that a man is headed that way who wants to trade $1000 for $1, and all who have heard of it have dollar bills ready for a trade.

The man with the $1000 shook the dust of the city of Alton from his feet after failing to do business on that basis with A. F. Barth, a druggist, and started for Upper Alton. If he ever arrives there he will be warmly welcomed.

The man sauntered into Mr. Barth's drug store Wednesday afternoon and carelessly remarked: "Give me a dollar, John."

Partly because his name is not John and partly because he does not make it a practice to give away dollars, Mr. Barth declined.

"Oh, very well," said the man, as he pulled a roll of bills from his inside vest pocket. "I would have given you $1000 if you had given me a dollar. I am looking for a man who will give me a dollar and when I find him $1000 will be his."

Barth said he didn't care to trade that way and that the stranger walked out.

Barth says there was a $1 bill on the outside of the roll, but there was a ten or a double ten next to it and he thinks the $1 bill was just used as a wrapper.

The man went in the direction of North Alton. Persons who heard of his mission telephoned friends in North Alton that he was headed that way and they are waiting yet for him to appear in their midst. When he arrives he will probably have more dollar bills forced on him than he can carry.

Mr. Barth says the generous man is about 45 years old.

FIFTY PRIESTS IN CELEBRATION

Ceremonies Last Three Days in St. Patrick's Church.

The celebration of the feast of St. Patrick will begin in St. Patrick's Church, Sixth and Biddle streets, with solemn high mass on Wednesday, March 15th, at 8 a. m., the beginning of the "forty hours' devotion." There will be mass on Thursday at the same hour, and on Friday, March 17, the day of the feast, there will be masses at 6 and 8 a. m., and a solemn high mass, coram pontifice, at 10 a. m., at which Archbishop Glennon will be present.

The following clergymen will officiate: Celebrant, Rev. T. Mullen, of Potosi, Mo.; deacon, Rev. Joseph A. Collins, of St. Agnes' Church; subdeacon, Rev. V. McCartney of Visitation Church; master of ceremonies, Rev. T. J. Lloyd; deacons of honor to his Grace, the Archbishop, Rev. D. J. Lavery and P. J. O'Rourke. More than 50 priests will assist in the sanctuary, the altars will be artistically decorated with potted plants and cut flowers, and a special musical program has been arranged.

Drew Revolvers on Prisoners.

Detectives McGrath and McQuellan were compelled to draw their revolvers before Gus Dietmeyer and Robert McDonough submitted to being led to a patrol box. The men have been arrested before and are being held on suspicion of being implicated in some of the recent robberies in the city. One of the men tried to dispose of three skeleton keys by throwing them into the gutter.

Indianapolis' Ex-Mayor Dies.

INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., March 9.—John Cavins, one of the best known men in Indiana, died here early today. He was five times elected mayor of Indianapolis and was a pioneer in the development of the coal mining industry of Western Indiana. He was 81 years old and unmarried.

His Occupation.

"He's always looking for trouble."

"A fault finder, eh?"

"No, a lawyer."

Technically Speaking.

"I see that Gen. Stoessel had a little ammunition left at Port Arthur, but his money chest was empty."

"Yes, there wasn't a shot left in his locker."

BARGAIN CANDY DAY

Meadow Gold Butter Taffy Tomorrow, Pound, 10c, at The May Co.

CZAR SETTLES THE NORTH SEA CLAIMS

Russians Pay England $325,000 for Sinking of Hull Trawlers and Incident Is Closed.

LONDON, March 9.—Count Benkendorff, the Russian ambassador to Great Britain, paid $325,000 today to Foreign Secretary Ensdowne in settlement of the North Sea claims and the incident was closed.

ITS NAME TO BE CHANGED.

Protective Mutual Order of Missouri Permitted to Incorporate.

The report of P. R. Slitcrast, who was appointed by Judge Fisher to investigate the objections of the Order of Mutual Protection against the granting of a pro-forma decree to the Protective Mutual Order of Missouri, was filed with the circuit clerk Friday.

The report recommends that the Protective Mutual Order of Missouri be granted the decree enabling it to be incorporated, but that the name be changed in accordance with the request of the Order of Mutual Protection and that the location of the headquarters of the new society be stated.

The petition for the decree was filed Feb. 4, 1905, and the objections were filed Feb. 14, on the grounds that the new society would conflict with that of the older.

Charles Backhaus, president; John Genbauer, secretary, and Albert Arnholdt, treasurer, are the incorporators of the new society, which will do an insurance business on a plan similar to other benevolent societies. Their headquarters will be in St. Louis.

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This light is the very latest and most perfect light ever produced. It is easy, equal to 6 or 8 ordinary gas jets, and does not burn any more gas. One lamp brilliantly illuminates the largest room. While the regular price is $1.25, we will sell the first 500, all complete, including Burner, Mantle and Porcelain Globe, at.......... 79c

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Dr. Grave's Tooth Powder	14c
Colgate's Tooth Powder	15c
Cuticura Soap	19c
Packer's Tar Soap	15c
Velvet Cream, for chapped hands	15c
Pompeian Massage Cream	40c
Mistletoe Cream	15c
Williams' Shaving Soap	5c
Colgate's Shaving Soap	5c
Munyon's Witch Hazel Soap	10c
20-Mule Team Borax, pound	12c
Pure Glycerine, pound	25c
Quinine, P. and W., ounce	50c
Quinine Pills, 2-grain, 100 bottle	25c
Pure Cod Liver Oil, pint	50c
Epsom Salts, pound	5c
De Lacy's French Hair Tonic	71c
De Lacy's Cin-Ko-Na and Iron	83c
Ayres' Hair Vigor	71c
Danderine	17c and 34c
Duffy's Malt Whisky	77c
Liquozone	42c and 83c
S. S. S.	83c and $1.33

CIGARS AT CUT PRICES.

Reg. 5c John Hancock Box of 50, $1.25.	2 for 5c
Reg. 5c Cremo Box of 50, $1.65.	3 for 10c
Reg. 5c Meyerbeer Box of 50, $1.50.	3 for 10c
Reg. 5c Eclipse...3 for 10c, 9 for 25c Box of 50, $1.35.	
Reg. 5c Bachelor Box of 50, $1.75.	7 for 25c
Reg. 10c straight La Preferencia,	4 for 25c

Johnson's Little Havanas—the best little cigar in town—everybody smokes them—3 for 5c; 100 box, $1.50.

WATER BOTTLES. We have just 280 of those regular $1.00 Goodyear's Hot Water Bottles, which we will close out tomorrow and Saturday. Every one guaranteed for one year.......... 48c

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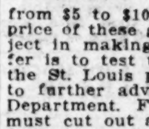

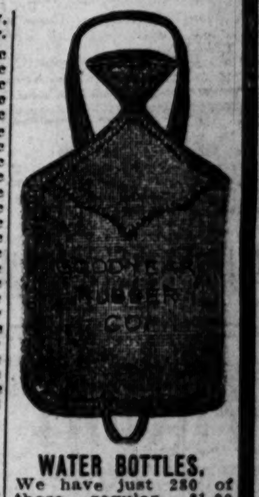
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PLANTERS' HOTEL CARPETS—They are made up in all sizes—the kind that cost $2.00 and $2.50 per yard, and many are as good as new—all have been renovated—some 9x12—for only.......... $7.50

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MATTRESSES—A $15.00 guaranteed elastic felt Mattress that you can return at any time within 60 days if you don't like it—for.......... $5.95

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TABLE DAMASK—We still have a few bolts of the unused Table Damask from the Inside Inn. It is 68 inches wide and the kind that wears forever—per yard.......... 39c

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HOMEMADE DIVORCE SHOWN IN COURT

Wife in Suing for a Legal Decree in a Chicago Court Exhibits the Novel Document.

FINANCES CAUSE TROUBLE.

Distribution of Family Chattels Not Covered in Domestic Paper and Clash Results.

CHICAGO, March 9.—A story of a homemade divorce was recited to Judge Brentano yesterday by Sarah Krucheosky, who is suing for a decree against her husband, Ernest Krucheosky, a cigarmaker. The witness told of a mutual agreement between her and her husband to separate, and, to emphasize her testimony, exhibited to the court the novel decree.

The agreement, signed by many witnesses, reads:

I, Sarah Krucheosky, having found myself no longer in love with my husband, do hereby leave him. My husband agrees to take me back at any time I care to come back.

Krucheosky, contesting the suit, told the court of an unequal distribution of the family funds.

"How were they distributed?" asked the court.

"They were not distributed at all. They were simply grabbed," was the reply.

Then the witness explained that he and his wife had $250 in bank.

"We decided to draw the money out," he said, "and divide it equally. A friend of ours brought the money to the house, placing it in a pile on a table. My wife stood on one side and I on the other. Then she grabbed. Then I grabbed, and we both grabbed. But, you see, she grabbed first, and—well, when I counted my money I had only $75. She had grabbed $175.

Krucheosky also told of a Samuel Cooper, whom he surprised in his house by coming home early.

Complaining to his father-in-law, Krucheosky declared he received the reply: "Cooper is not much better than you, but if Sarah loves him she can have him."

STATE ALLEGES BIG REBATES

Santa Fe Employe Admits Refunding $1,198,352 of Overcharges —Were Monopolies Benefited?

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

TOPEKA, Kan., March 9.—It developed today in the examination of Freight Auditor W. J. Healy before the attorney-general that during the year ending June 30, 1902, the Atchison, Topeka & Santa Fe Railroad paid back to shippers the sum of $1,198,352.

The evidence was offered in the suit instituted to ascertain whether the Santa Fe is violating the anti-trust law of Kansas.

Mr. Healy said this amount constitutes the total of overcharges made for the year. It is the theory of the state, however, that these overcharges are in reality rebates, and that an investigation will show a greater portion of the payments to have been made to the Standard Oil Co. and other monopolies.

OIL MONOPLY TO MOVE DEAD

People of Indiana Town Indignant at Purchase of Cemetery for Refinery Annex.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

WHITING, Ind., March 9.—Because John D. Rockefeller has bought the village cemetery here as an annex to the Standard Oil Co.'s refinery, people of Whiting are expressing much indignation.

The ground is needed for extensions of pipe lines from the east and the cemetery will soon be honeycombed with oil pipes. What is to become of the bodies has not been determined.

Residents of Whiting say that the pipe lines could have been built around the burying ground that the dead might have been allowed to rest in peace.

Busy Bee Bargain Day tomorrow. Broadway Mixture, one-half chocolates, 15 cents pound.

URGE FIGHT FOR TAX RATES.

Coopers Commend President and Elect Officers.

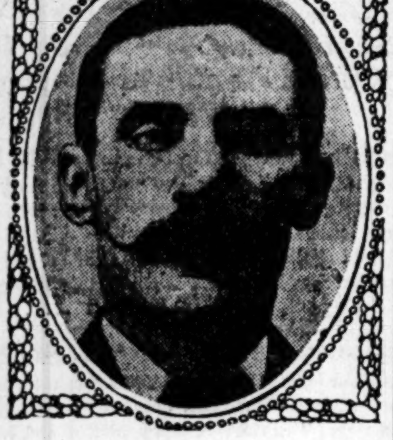
A resolution was passed by the National Coopers' Association, holding its annual convention at the Southern Hotel, commending President Roosevelt for his effort to secure impartial service and charges for shippers from the railways.

After the reports of the standing committees the following officers were elected for the ensuing year: A. S. Ray, Chicago, president; J. R. Reilly, Kansas City, vice-president; William J. Murray, second vice-president; Walter L. Wallford, Memphis, secretary and treasurer; executive committee, H. S. Herget, Pekin, Ill., W. Palmer Clarkson, St. Louis, J. M. Bauer, Lawrenceburg, Ind., Max H. Ritzwoller, Peoria, Ill., Benjamin F. Horn, St. Louis.

BARGAIN CANDY DAY
Meadow Gold Butter Taffy Tomorrow, Pound, 10c, at The May Co.

DEATH HONORS FOR "KING OF GREEKS"

George Economou Was Banker, Adviser and Ruler for Countrymen in St. Louis.



GEORGE ECONOMOU.

Two thousand natives of Greece paid homage to George Economou, as his body lay in state at the Collins undertaking establishment, 517 Walnut street Wednesday, and 20 formed the escort of honor that accompanied the body to Chicago Wednesday night and will remain there for the burial rites in the Orthodox Greek Church Sunday.

Every native of Greece in St. Louis knew Economou. He was their banker, confidant, adviser and ruler. He was the uncrowned "king of the Greeks" in St. Louis.

Economou came to St. Louis nine years ago from Sparta, at the age of 36 years. His four sons, three daughters and wife remained in Sparta.

He opened a small saloon and prospered. Before his death he was joined by three sons, Nicholas, Mike and James. He was a member of the firm of J. Gallens & Co., who conduct a saloon and restaurant at 116, 118 and 120 South Sixth street, and conducted a boarding house at 1111 South Sixth street.

Several months ago he contracted consumption. He went to Colorado Springs, Colo., hoping for relief. He had written his wife and daughters that he would be with them Aug. 15, St. Mary's fete day.

Father Mandelares of Chicago, archbishop of the Greek Church in America, reached him before his death, Sunday. He brought the body to St. Louis.

In Chicago is the nearest orthodox church to St. Louis, and the body was taken there for burial.

The cortege attracted much attention as it passed through Union Station, Wednesday night, led by Father Mandelares, clad in his priestly robes, his flowing beard and long hair, neither of which have ever been touched by scissors, adding to his unusual appearance.

WANTS $4500 FOR HIS FALL.

Israel Genser Brings Suit Against United Railways.

Israel Genser, describing himself as "a merchant who canvasses other merchants," instituted suit Thursday afternoon in the Circuit court against the United Railways Co., asking for $4500 damages and costs for injuries received by being thrown from a Broadway car by a sudden starting of the car on March 2, 1905. His petition states that he was thrown to the "paven" street, that his shoulder joints were wrenched, sprained and broken and his chin "contused."

As "a merchant who canvasses other merchants," he declares that his time is worth $8 per day, that he paid doctors' bills amounting to $100. For loss of time, cost and injuries, he asks the damages specified.

SIGNS TOLD OF MARRIAGE.

Friends Decorate House of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Stadler.

W. H. Stadler, who was married Wednesday night to Miss Hulda Grannemann of 1713 Carroll street, put in most of Thursday removing tell-tale signs from the front of 1725 Oregon avenue, where he and his bride have gone to housekeeping. The signs were placed there Wednesday night by some of the friends of the couple who sought to surprise the bridal couple. They also gained entrance to the house and disarranged the furniture.

The wedding was the culmination of a romance which began when Mr. Stadler and Miss Grannemann were childhood sweethearts. Only immediate relatives of the bride and groom attended the ceremony.

STUDENTS PLAN NOVEL STORE.

Princeton Boys Will Have a Co-Operative Concern.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

PRINCETON, N. J., March 9.—It is now practically certain that the co-operative store at Princeton will be in operation by the beginning of the next academic year.

A constitution was drawn up and plans discussed yesterday at a meeting of a committee of upper classmen with Dean Fine and Secretary McAlpine. The object of the store is to furnish books and all supplies to the students at a lower rate than that for which they can at present be purchased.

The capital for the undertaking has been already supplied and the students will be charged a nominal fee for membership.

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WANTED CHORE BOY; KIDNAPING CHARGED

Warrants for Doctor and Medical Student Allege Abduction of Young Negro.

Warrants charging Dr. H. W. Knapp of 2903 Lawton avenue and Joseph C. R. Doggett, a medical student, of 2944 Lawton avenue with enticing away from home a child under 12 years of age were issued Thursday.

The child in the case is Henry Clifton Rhoades, a 9-year-old negro boy, who was taken before Christmas by Doggett to the home of his father, Antonius Doggett, in Marionville, Mo.

Doggett says his father's family needed a boy to do chores about the house and asked him if he could get one. He says he repeated the request to Dr. Knapp, who agreed to find a boy.

Just before he left to spend Christmas at home, he says he went to Dr. Knapp's home and Henry Clifton Rhoades was produced. The boy's parents, Thomas and Mary Rhoades, live in the basement at Dr. Knapp's home, and Doggett says he had the mother's permission to take him. He says he bought him a complete new outfit and took him to Marionville.

The boy's mother says she consented to Henry Clifton going with Doggett, but understood that he was to come back after Christmas. She says she asked Dr. Knapp about him when he did not return and was told he knew nothing about the boy or Doggett.

She reported to the police, who say Doggett and Dr. Knapp professed to know nothing about the child. He was traced to Marionville and brought back. Doggett was arrested Wednesday and gave $8000 bond with Dr. Pinckney French as surety.

Dr. Knapp was arrested Thursday when he called at the warrant office to explain his side of the case. His bond was fixed at the same amount, and he expects to give it immediately.

THREE IN HANDBOOK RAID RELEASED

Police Say They Had No Evidence —Warrant for Brockmiller, Who Gave $1000 Bond.

Thomas Freeman and Sam Allen of 620 St. Charles street and Joseph Gorman of 120 North Eighth street, three of the six men arrested Wednesday in a police raid following the confession of Wright A. Salter, Planters' Hotel postal clerk, that $370 he took from postal funds was lost in handbook gambling, were released Thursday morning, 20 hours after their arrest.

The other three, Chris J. Brockmiller of 613½ Chestnut street, with whom Salter says he made bets; William Schneider of Ninth and St. Charles streets, and Frank Etz of 211 North Twenty-first street, were released under $1000 bonds covering the charge of violation of the breeders' law. A warrant was secured against Brockmiller, but none had been issued at noon against Schneider and Etz, although Chief of Police Kiely and Detective McGrath of the gambling squad had direct evidence against them.

Kiely said the department had no direct evidence against the men released without bond, being unable to prove in court that they took bets over the telephone and passed slips of paper to men on the street.

HAD LICENSES TO WED THREE

Milwaukee Man Lands in Jail After Triple Romance Hinging on Advertisement.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

MILWAUKEE, Wis., March 6.—Henry Zeechenter, who has a wife and family in Germany, went to the marriage license clerk and asked for licenses to wed three different girls, his own name being given in each license as that of the prospective bridegroom.

The marriage license clerk did not care, because he got the fees. But when Zeechter went to Miss Frances Huber, who admits that she had laughingly promised to wed, conditions were different. When he produced the marriage license with her name, the girl was offended and said it was all off.

"All right," said Zeechenter, "one of these girls will wed me." Then came a quarrel, which landed Zeechenter in the police station.

Zeechenter says that he did not intend to marry the girl anyhow, but that he wanted to make so much trouble that his wife in Germany would ask for a divorce.

The triple romance is the result of a want advertisement asking for a wife.

COLLISION KILLS FIREMAN

James Green Dies of Injuries Received When Car Hit Reel at Twenty-Second and Olive.

James Green, driver of hose reel No. 14 of the Fire Department, died at 1 o'clock Thursday morning at his home, 1602 Helen street, from injuries received Jan. 30, when responding to an alarm from Twenty-third and Pine streets, the reel was struck by a Maryland car at Twenty-second and Olive streets. Green was crushed about the hips and internally.

Several other firemen were injured but recovered. Green was under treatment for some time at St. John's Hospital, Twenty-third and Locust streets, and was then taken home.

UNABLE TO CALL BRIDE'S NAME

Baltimore Husband to Be Has Difficulty Getting License.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

BALTIMORE, Md., March 9.—An applicant for a marriage license, who could not recall the name of the lady he desired to office today.

The more deeply the gentleman cogitated the more he seemingly became confused. He said that he had been acquaintd with the lady for four years, but for the life of him he could not remember her name.

After a pause he was sure she was a widow, then he remembered her first name, and finally, with a confident smile, he recalled her last name. The blanks in the license were then speedily filled and he went away happy.

RUSSELL SAGE REPORTED ILL.

Physicians Says His Ailment Is Severe Cold.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

NEW YORK, March 9.—Russell Sage has been confined to his home with a severe cold since Tuesday afternoon.

"Mr. Sage is not seriously ill," was said at his home today.

"He contracted a severe cold," said his physician, "and we thought it best that he keep to the house because of the bad weather. He will be about again in a few days."

Mr. Sage is 83 years old.

Loneliness Causes Suicide.

CHICAGO, March 9.—Despondent over the death of Charles Vanderburg, his roommate, John Ulferts, a tailor, committed suicide today by inhaling gas, the tragedy taking place in the room which the two men had shared. Vanderburg died last week after a short illness.

NEWS OF THE SPORTING WORLD

JOSH CLARKE LOOKS GOOD FOR CARDINALS

Outfield Candidate Swats the Ball With a Vengeance and Spoils Others' Hits.

RAIN POSTPONES PRACTICE.

Veterans of Team Are Groaning From Stiff Joints and Sore Muscles.

BY A. W. FORD.

A Staff Correspondent of the Post-Dispatch.

MARLIN, Tex., March 9.—All thought of out-door training was dissipated when Manager Nichols' youngsters were routed out of bed. There had been a steady downpour of rain all night and there was no sign of cessation. The forecast denotes wet weather for the next 24 hours. Every man in the camp put in several hours in the hot baths, and Spike Shannon won the bathtub in which Col. Ed Butler was wont to disport himself during his recent stay at the springs.

The second day's brief practice, which was broken up by a shower, put all the candidates virtually on crutches. Stiff legs, lame backs and kinky arms are an epidemic. Nichols, Smoot, Dunleavy, Josh Clark, Farrell, Jack Taylor, Scrap Iron Butler and even the veteran Jack Warner are hobbling about the baths like a colony of rheumatics, longing for the southern sun that refused to show itself.

Manager Nichols is well satisfied with the showing thus far made by his youngsters. The new men are chuckfull of ginger, and, of course, are willing workers. Josh Clarke is the particular star of the recruits. "He has the making of a crackerjack," says Nichols. He is full of confidence at the bat and meets the ball a la Wagner—full on the nose. He goes after everything in the field, and has already pulled down several sizzlers that looked like homers and nailed one high one right off the fence. St. Louis fans will take to Clarke if he is one of the chosen, and it is almost a certainty that he will be seen in the outfield with Smoot and Shannon.

Dunleavy and Hill, the other two candidates for garden positions, are giving the others a good run for the prize and Nichols will have no easy time making his choice.

Farrell, Burke, Murch and Meyer are the only candidates for infield positions who have thus far reached Marlin Springs. Murch at the second sack, has given an excellent account of himself, counting legs and body and arms. He has something like ten foot reach and they will have to throw them sky-high to get by him. Murch is quick on his feet and shows some disposition to line them out to the fence.

Meyer is the kid of the new ones. He is a clean cut, slim young fellow, who looks something like Christy Matthewson. He is lightning fast in pickups and throwing, but thus far has not shown any wonderful ability with the stick.

Farrell and Burke are showing up well, but as they too have had but a few hours' practice no estimate of their probable 1905 form can be made.

Beckley is taking his time to report, as are also Brain, Shay and McFarland. McFarland's wife is ill at San Antonio. It is reported here that Shay wants to stay out on the coast and play with Joe Corbett, but Nichols declares that Shay will play in St. Louis or not at all.

Threats have been made that unless Beckley, Shay and Brain report here before the end of the week they will find their salary envelope shy about $100 each, that being the fine permitted for failure to take spring practice. "It is not fair to the other boys nor to the public," said Nichols. "I believe they will all show up, however, before many days."

The town of Waco is making great preparations to receive the Cardinals Saturday and Sunday, when two games will be played. The Cardinals will return to Marlin Monday.

SPORT BRIEFS

The aquatic squad of the M. A. C. is preparing for the dual swimming meet with the Yale team, which will be held probably April 20. The Elis will start on their western tour about April 5 and will meet the athletic clubs of Chicago and Pittsburg. The Yale team defeated the Cherry Diamond squad last year, winning three out of five contests.

The South Side Y. M. C. A. basket ball teams lost two games to the M. A. C. fives Wednesday night in the club's gymnasium. The game between the first teams was won by a score of 43 to 33. The preliminary game between the second teams resulted in a score of 23 to 20. The St. Louis Basket Ball League will close its regular season March 10 and a few postponed games will then be played. It is intended to start the season next year Nov. 15, with eight clubs in the league.

The old West End Coliseum on Olive street has been named as the scene of the coming meeting between Arata Suzuki, the Japanese jiu-jitsu expert, and George Baptiste, the local wrestler. The match will be held March 17.

Members of the Mound City Racing Pigeon Association are making great preparations for the coming season. A schedule calling for eight races from May 14 to July 20 has been arranged. The distance will vary from one hundred to one thousand miles. The following pigeon fanciers will enter birds in the races: Gus Starman, E. C. Kieckers, H. H. Terborg, C. F. Langenkamp, R. E. Rieves and S. Freund. Secretary Rieckers announces that more birds will be entered this year than ever before.

HOPPE BECOMES SHORTSTOP CHAMPION OF NEW YORK.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

NEW YORK, March 9.—By defeating Walton Aborn last night in the balk-line billiard tournament at McLaughlin's academy, Frank Hoppe became professional shortstop champion of Greater New York. The score was 250 to 205.

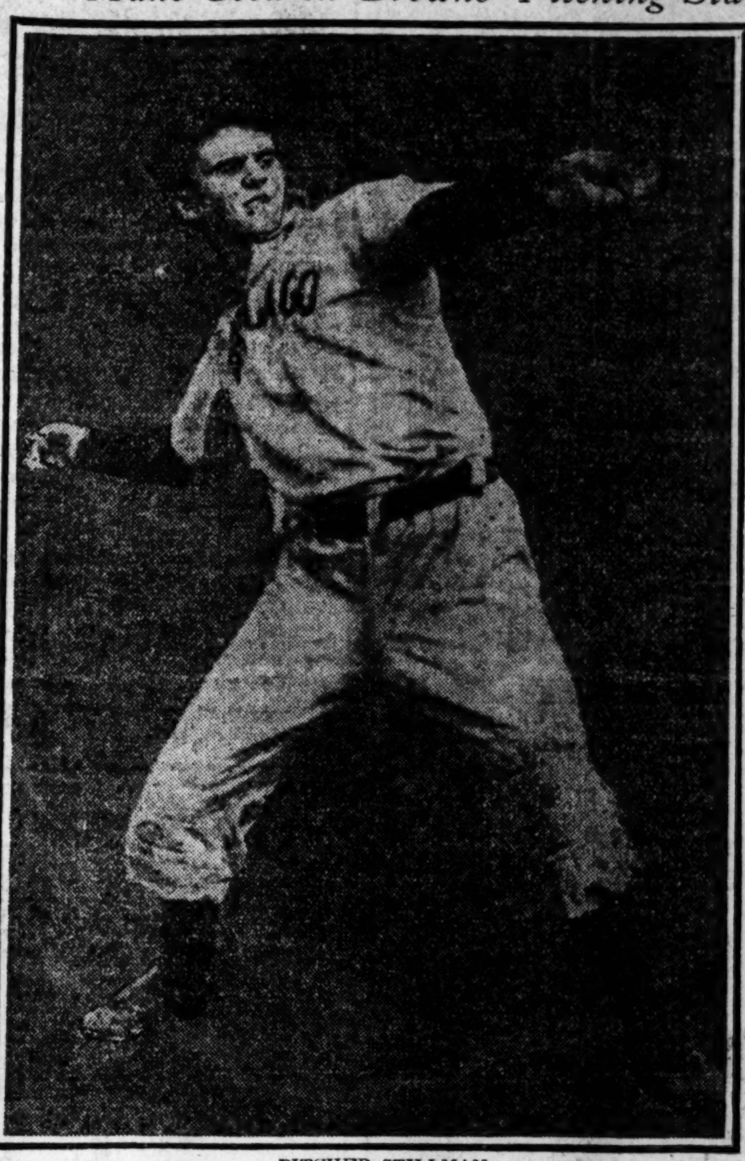
The winner's high runs were 37 and 30, and his average 4 23-52. Aborn's high runs were 29 and 24 and his average 4.

Imperial Cocoanut Candy 10 cents per pound Friday. Imperial, 518 Washington avenue.

Few Hours' Study Made Citizen.

Denial of naturalization papers because of his ignorance of the institutions of the United States stirred the pride of Guiseppi Daprato of 220 Market street, and before Judge Taylor had adjourned the session of court at which the denial occurred Daprato presented himself for another examination. After correctly answering the questions put to him, he explained that he had sought a lawyer and had put in some hard work getting informed on the court system. He secured the papers.

This Young Twirler Is Expected to Make Good on Browns' Pitching Staff



PITCHER STILLMAN.

CHAT OF THE DIAMOND

Gleason's Joke.

There is a bit of humor always lurking about the person of "Kid" Gleason, the veteran ball player. The "Kid" recently attended a boxing bout in Philadelphia with an Irish friend from Camden. While leaving the building Gleason's Hibernian friend got mixed up in the crowd and was relieved of a silver watch. He discovered his loss after getting out of the building and told the "Kid." Gleason called Sergeant Barry and told him of his friend's loss. "All right, 'Bill,'" said Barry, "I'll have the men in our district look out for the thief. Rest assured that we will leave no stone unturned to recover the watch."

A day or two later Gleason and his friend were walking down Market street when the Irishman was astonished to see hundreds of men at some excavating work. Just then Gleason espied Sergeant Barry looking down one of the holes. The thought struck the Phillies' second baseman that he would have some fun with his friend.

"Great operations, isn't it?" the ballplayer asked.

"Yis, it is, indade. Phat's it all fer?" he asked.

"Why, don't you remember that the police sergeant said he would leave no stone unturned to get back your watch. See, there he is now, directing the work."

The "Kid's" friend from the Old Sod was amazed and, walking up to Sergeant Barry, said: "I thank yez very much, sirgeant, but if yez is going to tear up the whole town let the watch go to the devil. It's not worth the trouble."

Rube's Purchase Money.

"No, siree, Waddell's speed doesn't compare with that of Rusie's," said George Tebeau at a session of the Fan Club the other day.

"The Rube has speed, worlds of it but there's none of them in these days who've got it on Rusie. Vic Willis has speed at times, and his curve is the nearest to Rusie's that I know of, but he hasn't the strength. But speaking of Waddell, you've all heard bunches of tales about the eccentric boy, and they're all true—half of them have never been told—but did you hear about him when Barney Dreyfuss had him in the National at Pittsburg?

"Rube was cutting up didoes. When he did, Barney always said to him that Loftus wanted him down at Columbus in the minor league. This threat made Rube sore. After being taunted about it one day he rushed into Barney's office and said:

"'See here, Loftus must have something on you. Now, I want to tell you that if I'm to be sold to Columbus I won't move a step unless I get half the purchase money.'

"'That'll be all right,' said Dreyfuss, 'I sold you for a box of stogies.'"

George Weldman, the famous pitcher of the National League of 20 years ago, is dead in New York following an operation for cancer. Weldman twirled for the Detroit and New York teams of early days. In 1882 he pitched an 18-inning game against Providence while he was with the Detroit team. Radbourne, the famous twirler of the eastern team, finally won the game with a home run.

J. Ed Grillo, former president of the American Association, has purchased Geo. Lennon's interest in the Toledo club and the much-talked-of deal has come to a close. Garry Herrmann, president of the Cincinnati Reds and chairman of the national commission, is supposed to be Grillo's backer in the venture. The price paid for the Lennon interest is said to be $12,500, more than was asked by the St. Paul man at first.

Shortstop Turner of Cleveland is considered the best billiard player among the ball tossers. Johnny Kling, of course, holds the honors at pool.

Chief Zimmer has refused a good offer to play ball again, and has signed a contract with President Powers to umpire in the Eastern League.

Hughey Jennings recently gave a dinner in Baltimore to celebrate his admission to the bar, at which the guests were Wilbert Robinson, Joe Kelley, Willie Keeler, Bill Clarke and Jack Dunn, all ex-Orioles.

Infielder Mullin, the Manhattan college boy, finally has been turned over to the Washington club by Manager Connie Mack of the Athletics. Mullin will replace Barney McCormack as the Senator's second baseman.

AMATEUR BOXING STAR FACES "RINGER" CHARGE.

BOSTON, March 9.—A dispatch from Philadelphia asserting that "Jack" Egan of Bryn Mawr, who won over Mayer, the Olympic champion, in the 158-pound class at the National boxing championship Monday night is a "ringer," has stirred up the local A. A. U. officials, and an investigation will be made by the national board. The Philadelphia telegram declares that Egan was athlete and merchant of Bryn Mawr, and is a pupil of "Jack" O'Brien, the professional.

BOWLING NOTES.

JUNIOR LEAGUE.

Mohawks 3, Pontiacs 2; Monarchs 3, Columbias 2; Rialtos 3, Choctaws 2.

ANGELICA LEAGUE.

Bostonians 5, Mercantiles 0; Pansies 3, Silver Leaves 2; Pueser Juniors 3, Consumers 2.

DEBUTANTE LEAGUE.

Chouteaus 3, Sterlings 2; Lindells 4, Hawthornes 1.

Sport Queries.

C. S.—The St. Louis Browns finished second in the American League race in 1902. The Philadelphia Athletics won the pennant.

TEE.—George S. Lyon, Toronto, Canada, won the Olympic golf championship in 1904. H. Chandler Egan was the runner-up.

PUG.—Jimmy Walsh and Monte Attell have never met in the ring. The report was incorrect.

HEIDRICK WILL RETURN TO CAMP

President Hedges Announces That Crack Centerfielder Will Be in Dallas in Two Weeks.

"Heidrick will be with us again this year," announced President Hedges of the Browns Thursday morning as his expansive smile illumined the gloomy surroundings of the American League office. "I have heard from Emmett and have his assurance that he will report to McAleer at Dallas within a week if he can adjust his business interests. In case this is not permissable, he will do some training in his home town and report here when the team returns for the spring series with the Cardinals.

"Heidrick and his brother conduct an extensive logging business near Brookville, Pa., and he had about decided to abandon baseball and devote his entire time to the business. He has been persuaded, however, that the club is in need of his services and has agreed to play again this year."

The unexplained absence of the crack centerfielder and the consequent necessity of supplying a man to fill his place has been the chief worry of the Browns' management over this season's prospects. According to Hedges there is now no need to worry and everything is "brite and fare."

Hedges returned Wednesday from a mysterious trip in the east and the announcement of Heidrick's promise to join the club is based upon what was learned there. The Browns' president will leave for Dallas Sunday night and he will probably remain with the team for several days.

DUFFY BESTS FITZPATRICK IN TEN SPIRITED ROUNDS

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

INDIANAPOLIS, March 9.—Fully 3000 people witnessed a spirited ten-round fight here last night between Martin Duffy and Dick Fitzpatrick. Within a few months each had fought two draws of 15 rounds each and both were on their mettle, anxious to get the decision. Duffy was the victor in the tenth round, although Fitzpatrick seemed determined to put Duffy in that round and began viciously, but the fine lous to get the decision. Duffy in the eighth round and continued in the last one, carried him through. The only knock down came in the sixth round, when Duffy sent Fitz to the floor with a terrific right-hand swing to the jaw.

MANY ENTRIES FOR SARATOGA STAKES.

NEW YORK, March 9.—The entry list for the Saratoga stakes this season promises to be an exceptionally heavy one. All the best horses in training have been entered. The Saratoga handicap, Saratoga cup and the special for 2-year-olds, the three popular races, promise to eclipse in the number of entries all previous records.

E. E. Smathers is the largest subscriber to these events. He has McChesney, Witfull, Rapid Water and Burleigh in the handicap. In the 2-year-old events, with the exception of the special, for which he failed to make a nomination, he has the largest number of nominations.

M. A. C. ATHLETES READY FOR THE INDOOR MEET.

About 12 events will compose the program of the second indoor track meet of the season at the M. A. C. Saturday night. The entire cherry diamond athletic squad, numbering more than 40 men, will compete in the events.

Some good contests should result, as most of the events are handicap affairs. In the sprints, Turner, Heckwolf, Hastedt, Evans, Lydon and Goodman will fight it out. Forshaw, Weir, Kiener, Minges, Cornelius and others will compete in the runs.

Evans and Holloway will renew their battle in the pole vault. Evans beat the Irish champion in the last contest by reason of a generous handicap. The men were tied on the actual distance vaulted.

In the hurdles, Kiener, Smith, Wulff and Lawrence are entered and the high jump will find Freymark, Mattis, Evans and Holloway seeking honors.

All the men have been training faithfully for several weeks and Saturday's contests should round them off nicely for the big meet in the Jai Alai building March 18.

Billings Stable, "The Cuyahoga."

CLEVELAND, March 9.—C. K. G. Billings has a new name for his Cleveland stable. Hereafter it will be known to horsemen throughout the country as the Cuyahoga stable. He has shown evidences of his fondness of Cleveland by selecting her county.

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DR. ROBARTS TARRIES OVER HIS MARRIAGE

Chagrined Because Surreptitious Issuance of License to Wed Miss Hermann Discovered.

Friends of Dr. Heber Robarts learned Thursday that the doctor was tarrying in Belleville instead of well on his way to Europe.

The doctor left St. Louis Wednesday night ostensibly to start at once on a European trip, by way of Chicago, but instead he went to Belleville with the purpose of making use of the marriage license, which was issued to him Sunday, to marry Miss Julia Hermann of 601 Mascoutah avenue, that city, as told in late editions of the Post-Dispatch Wednesday.

He had intended to marry Miss Hermann Thursday night, according to Justice J. A. Bedel, and take her with him on his European trip, but when he learned Wednesday afternoon that the surreptitious issuance of the license from the back of the marriage-license book had been discovered, he said he did not know what he would do.

He said he wanted to keep his marriage secret because of one of his daughters, who did not want him to marry again.

Dr. Robarts is 51 years old. Until within the past few days he has had an office in the Chemical building. His wife obtained a divorce from him on November 28 on the ground, among ohters, that he was violent and abusive in the home and accused her of deceit and falsehood in the presence of others.

Miss Hermann is wealthy. She has been living with two sisters in a handsome home on Mascoutah avenue. Dr. Robarts became acquainted with her four years ago when he was treating one of her sisters. The doctor spent last summer in Belleville, boarding at the Hoffman home on East First street.

Justice Bedel, who said Wednesday afternoon that he had been engaged to marry the couple Thursday evening, said Thursday that there had been no wedding and he did not know whether there would be one.

Dr. Robarts answered the telephone at the Hermann residence, but hung up the receiver when a question was asked.

IN SOCIETY

Notices of social events intended for publication in the Sunday Post-Dispatch should reach the Post-Dispatch office not later than noon of the Friday preceding.

A merry party of St. Louisans left last week for the South to attend the Mardi Gras festivities. Those included in the party are: Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Corcoran, Mr. and Mrs. John F. Hines, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Corcoran, Mr. and Mrs Hubert Craddock, Mr. Breitling and daughter, Miss Mamie, Mrs. O'Rourke, Miss Susan Greely and Mr. and Mrs. M. J. Mulvihill.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Fuller departed Thursday noon for the South. They will visit all the fashionable resorts in Florida and later go to Cuba.

Mr. and Mrs Shoenberg of the West End Hotel, have returned from an extended trip through Florida and the Bahama Islands, which included an automobile trip along the Florida coast.

Miss Elba Dorothy Bohle, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frederick Bohle of 1433 North Jefferson avenue, was married to Joseph Price Dummick of Maplewood, Feb. 25, at 6 o'clock. The wedding was very quiet on account of a recent death in the family.

The Liederkranz Ladies' Society will give a "ball of the future in 1915" March 18, at Liederkranz Hall.

Materne—Ringen.

The wedding of Mrs. Cornelia Ringen and John P. Materne was one of the quiet home affairs of Wednesday evening. The ceremony was at 8 o'clock and was performed by the Reverend Dr. Morris of the Compton Hill Congregational Church. The guests were limited to the near relatives and a few intimate friends of the bride and bridegroom. There was an informal reception at the conclusion of the ceremony and later a bridal supper.

Mrs. Ringen is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Prufrock of Lafayette avenue and it was at their home the wedding took place. The bride wore a going-away gown of dark brown cloth, with hat to correspond. The bride has for several years been active in the primary department of the Compton Hill Congregational Church. Mr. Materne and his bride departed the same evening for the Pacific coast, where they will spend several weeks before going to Florida. They will be at home Wednesdays in May.

Master Wasserfall's Party.

Master Otto Wasserfall gave a masquerade party to his friends at his home, 1397 Granville place, Tuesday evening. Games were indulged in until 10:30, when a supper was served. Prizes were awarded to Misses Tillie Kaltwasser and Erma Perham and Messrs. Albert Kaltwasser and James Johan. Among those present were: Misses Erma Parham, Lenora Kopferer, Tillie Kaltwasser, Mamie Gourgen, Grace Spies, Hazel Ball, Alice Johan, Edith Paden, Gertrude Arthur; Messrs. Harvey Ramsey, Ben Rhabe, Albert Kaltwasser, Edwin Babcock, Edwin Jourgen, Fred Jungblut, Percey Ramsey, James Johan, Otto Wasserfall.

Burned in Gasoline Explosion.

Jesse Darby is at his home, 2604 South Broadway, suffering from severe burns about the face and hands, received Wednesday night from the explosion of a gasoline brazier in the repair shop of the Knight Cycle Co., 1215 Olive street, where he was employed. Fire resulting from the explosion damaged the stock in the shop $100 and the building $150.

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"PARSIFAL" FAD IS SHORT AT BOSTON

Herr Conreid's Famous Metropolitan Company Fails to Create a Stir.

By Leased Wire From the New York Bureau of the Post-Dispatch.

NEW YORK, March 9.—Herr Conried has returned from Boston delighted with the patronage there of the regular performances of grand opera, but disgusted with the refusal of Bostonians to see his production of "Parsifal." At its first performance the receipts were not much over $4000, and the advance sale for the second promised an audience not much larger.

"I believe," said Herr Conried today, "that Mr. Savage has spoiled my possibilities of ever doing anything with 'Parsifal' in Boston. The people who have attended the Savage performance out of sheer curiosity will hardly be persuaded to see the performance of the work that I am giving, as their curiosity has been satisfied.

"And of real, discriminating music lovers there seem not to be enough in Boston to people the house at the 'Parsifal' performances. There are some of these, but unfortunately not enough. Why, the other day at the close of the second act there was great enthusiasm, and the artists had at least eight curtain calls. At the close of the work the same enthusiasm was shown and again the artists had to show themselves before the curtain—something most unusual even in New York, where the interest of the people in 'Parsifal' was at fever heat.

"After the performance several people who were entire strangers to me came up and congratulated me upon the magnificent production of this work that I had brought to Boston. But the great masses have little left of this desire to see 'Parsifal' and I cannot help but believe that Mr. Savage has spoiled the chances of my doing anything with this work in that city. However, in Chicago the advance sale for the first 'Parsifal' production is $14,000."

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D. E. Russell, manager of the Imperial Theater, is sitting at his desk these days perhaps wholly unconscious of the stir he has made in England. Mr. Russell is "the party mentioned" in this paragraph from the current number of T. P.'s Weekly.

"I am always ready to bow before the inventor of a new advertising 'notion.' Hail, therefore, to the manager of a St. Louis theater, who recently advertised for 500 cats, offering a free seat in exchange for each. Within ten minutes of the advertisement's appearance every boy in the town was cat-hunting, and at the appointed time every avenue leading to the theater was blocked with them. All the cats were accepted and no inconvenient questions asked as to their ownership. Meanwhile the brains of St. Louis were aflame with speculation, and visions of a Gargantuan banquet of rabbit pie and sausages made women weep and strong men tremble. But the manager only tied a cardboard advertisement of his new play, 'The Catspaw,' to each cat's neck, and then loosed it to the winds of Heaven. If that was not a direct appeal to the finer felines of humanity, what is, I should like to know?"

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Felix Philippi, one of the most drastic of the new dramatists in Germany, is in the field with a new drama, "Das Erbe" ("The Legacy"), which will be presented at the Olympic Theater next Sunday night in honor of Rudolph Horsky, who is the beneficiary of the occasion. The characters are strongly drawn and the situations painted in warm and striking colors. Philippi's name is one to conjure with in the dramatic world of today, and the novelty will no doubt create as strong an impression here as it has in all German theaters.

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"The Great Automobile Mystery," a melodrama with an up-to-date name and some little fame upon the Havlin circuit, will come to Havlin's Theater next week, opening with a Sunday matinee. The piece has never been seen here, and will have the merit of being brand new. It has a rather exceptional company for popular prices, and the production is said to be somewhat beyond the most of those playing the Havlin houses.

James T. Powers, George K. Fortescue, Margaret McKinney, Josephine Newman and the other popular ones in "San Toy" at the new Garrick conclude their two weeks' stay at the Chestnut street playhouse on Saturday night. On Friday afternoon the last (for some time) of the popular "professional matinees" is announced. This is of interest only to those who have already secured seats for this departing event. To those who have neglected to do so it is merely of import that no more seats are to be had. "San Toy" at 50 cents—all reserved—and visiting members of the theatrical and operatic professions in the audience is not an event that the discerning ones aforesaid are in the habit long to delay connection with.

On Sunday night, matinee omitted, the Garrick offers chic, petite and altogether attractive Edna Wallace Hopper for the first time in straight comedy not in musical surroundings. This is Miss Hopper's first essay in the new direction. She will present a fine double bill—Arthur Law's "A Country Mouse," and, for a curtain-raiser, Augustus Barrett's "Captain January." A large, well-selected company has the minor characters in its keeping, and the organization sent hither by the redoubtable Frank McKee, whom the old-timers hereabouts will remember as the associate of the palmy days with Charlie Hoyt in farce comedy.

On Sunday afternoon, March 19, a prime event in music is on the tapis at the new Garrick: the violin recital of Franz von Vecsey, perhaps the world's greatest violinist for his years (he's but 12), who has succeeded in convincing his elders that he is not a "wonder-child," but a gifted musician.

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The Choral-Symphony Society is giving the most successful season of its 25 years of musical existence—from both an artistic and financial standpoint. The wisdom of the management in securing the best artists obtainable has spoken for itself in the crowded houses of enthusiastic concert goers who have attended this season's concerts. In all its history the society has never had local enthusiasm roused to such a pitch. And it is welcome news indeed that the same standard of artistic excellence will characterize the balance of the season's concerts.

For the concert of March 13, Anita Rio, coloratura soprano, will be the soloist, and the press notices of her successes this season are sufficient assurance of a musical treat that will compare well with that of Hoffman and Kreisler. At this time the substitution of a vocalist is a good move on the part of the management, and Miss Rio is remembered in St Louis with much pleasure.

The concert further includes the New World Symphony of Dvorak, which will be rendered as tribute to the great Bohemian who so lately passed away, and some miscellaneous orchestral numbers.

Beginning Tuesday, March 14, the Odeon Stock Company will produce "Lady Windemere's Fan." When this play was first produced in London all society was on the tiptoe of expectation, as it was written by Oscar Wilde, and much was expected of him as a playwright. Those who went to criticise seemed to thoroughly enjoy seeing themselves as Oscar Wilde saw them. It is a perfect type of a modern London society play, and was a great success there, and in New York as well when Julia Arthur and Maurice Barrymore were in the original cast. The third act is considered one of the best ever written in any play. It sparkles with epigrams, biting wit, smart aphorisms, and clever dialogue.

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A sword fight in the fourth act between Sir Francis and Archibald and a transparent effect in the fifth act where the spirit of little Willie overcomes the evil spirit of Sir Francis just in time to open the gates of Paradise to admit his poor mother Lady Isabelle, are among the scenes introduced in "East Lynne," which comes to the Crawford Theater next week.

David Belasco's play of love and war, "The Heart of Maryland," will be at the Imperial Theater next week. "The Heart of Maryland" speaks for itself. Its story of love and war teems with action, adventure and exciting scenes, and its primal theme of woman's love and heroism and final triumph is one of deep heart interest. The company included in the cast is one of prominence in the popular price drama, and the scenic accessories are true transcripts of the locality in which the events of the play occur.

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Third Floor—Fine Elevators.

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WOMEN'S FANCY VESTS—With crocheted yoke, low neck and no sleeves; these are in lisle thread or silk and lisle, in white, cream, pink and blue; splendid values at.. 50c

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Main Floor—Aisle Six.

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Fourth Floor—Five Elevators.

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25c Cut Steel Garment Clasps—4 designs	5c
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$1 and 50c Plated Mounting White Combs	25c
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Main Floor—Aisle Four.

Economy Basement Salesroom

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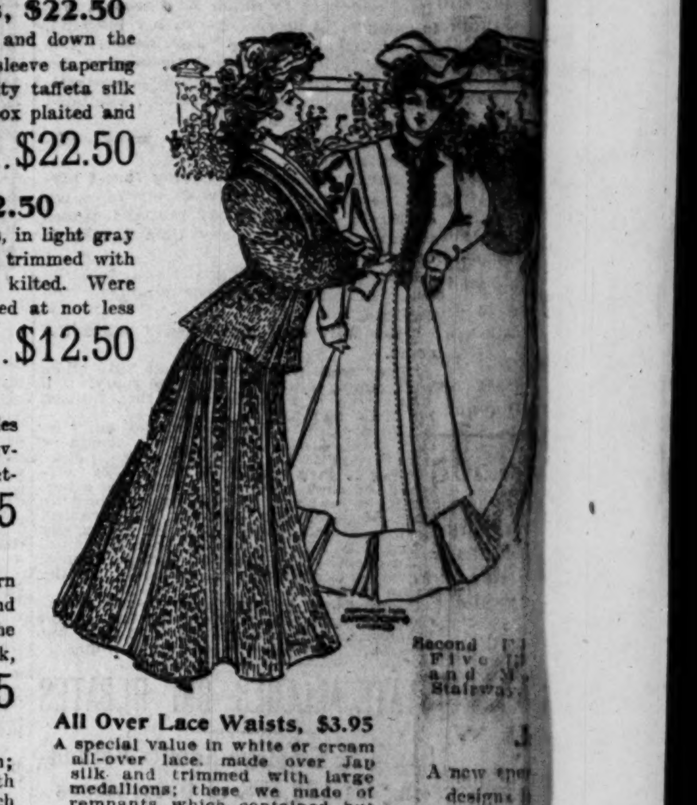

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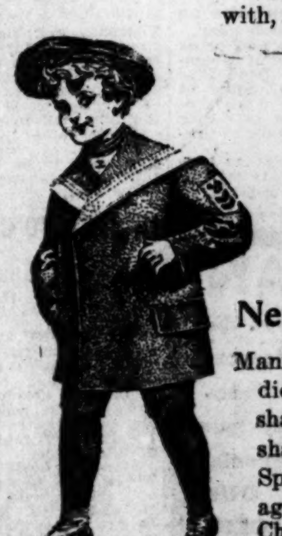

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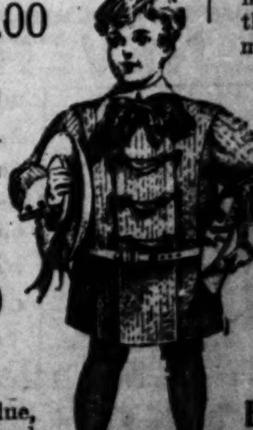

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A decidedly novel feature, fresh from the makers; they're in elegant luster mercerized sateen, with 25-inch flounce, so closely accordion plaited as to form a perfect sunburst, falling in full ripples; $2.50 skirts, in black and all new shades, at $1.95

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s of the East this sale would have ended before this because of the tre- ring Silks retailed in St. Louis in less than four days, and every yard at unce a Silk sale. They know it means tens of thousands of yards of the -that's why they come to the May Co.'s Silk Sale.

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5 Taffetas only 74c

500 yards of these ex- heavy $1.25 Petticoat fetas at 74c; they're best grades of change- e weaves, 27 inches e, and were never of- d at this e; special, yd.... 74c

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Fine Silk Pongee, 33c

All pure silk, extra heavy quality, natural Pongee, 20 inches wide, imported to sell at 50c a yard, and fully worth that price at all times. On special sale, price, yard 33c

85c Chiffon Taffeta, 64c

As a special feature we will offer beautiful Chiffon Taffeta in black only. This is the regular 85c grade in every store in the land. Don't miss these elegant goods. Tomorrow, in this sale at, yard 64c

75c Satin Foulards, 46c

The finest all pure silk satin-finished 75c Foulards in the newest Spring colorings. Some are in the new three and four color Dresden effects, others with the plain luster spots. Special, yard 46c

$1.50 Taffetas at $1.10

In this sale we will offer 500 yards of high-grade pure dye black Taffetas at $1.10; these are 42 inches wide and are fully guaranteed to wear; regular $1.50 quality at, yard $1.10

New Things for Boys

l Children's Clothing ever brought to St. Louis or the West. All the lation in planning these Suits. Months ago we selected the materials. ntrusted to the cleverest tailors of Boys' Clothes in America.

for the prices. They are Suits that will not only look well, to begin hought over as the men's garments. They are Suits which will make May Co.'s boys' department.

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Boys' Knee Suits at $3.50

These best styles, the best colors and the best workmanship at the price. Blue serges, clay worsteds and fancy patterns in cheviots and cassimeres, carefully and neatly tailored. Garments to stand the every day strain. Ages 7 to 16 years. Special $3.50

Boys' Knee Suits, $5

At the very outset we determined to sell the very best Boy's Suit at this price ever retailed in America—and we have done it. This season they are better than ever. Fabrics are better, workmanship better and better fitting. Newest shades and patterns, as well as blue and black. These conform to ordinary $7 values. Choice $5.00

Finest Knee Suits at $8.00

Natty double-breasted, Norfolk or plain belted effects in the finest domestic and imported fabrics, including blue serges, fancy worsteds, Scotch cheviots and worsted flannels, hand-tailored garments in the newest patterns, every one the product of the most skilled boys' tailors—priced at $8.00

Boys' 50c Knee Pants at only 35c

Boys' Pants in pure wool fancy cheviots in the newest and most desirable Spring colorings, as well as blue and black. These are well made, have stayed seams and double seats and knees. 50c pants, in ages 3 to 16 years, at 35c

65c to 85c Allovers, 49c

THE dainty woman will choose these charming Embroidery Allovers with delight tomorrow. They're hand loom goods, 18 inches wide, and come in Swiss cambric and nainsook. Regular prices 65c to 85c. Choice of these beautiful goods, tomorrow, yard 49c

$1.50 ALL-OVERS AT 98c—Very handsome 18-inch embroidery all-overs in neat or showy patterns or Broiderie Anglais designs. Regular $1.50 goods at yard 98c

IRISH POINT BANDS in white or ecru, 6 to 9 inches; also appliques, edges and galloons of very fine St. Gall and Plauen laces. These are worth from $2.00 to $3.00. Sale price, yard 98c

LACE ALL-OVERS, 35c—A special feature for tomorrow. These beautiful Oriental laces are 18 inches wide. Choice, yard 35c

LACE ALL-OVERS, 69c—White, butter and Arabian lace all-overs, 18 inches wide. These are in fine Pt. Venise or Plauen laces. $1.00 and $1.25 grades at, yard 69c

VENISE ALL-OVERS in regular $1.35 to $1.65 grades. These will be offered at, yard 98c

Main Floor—Aisle Two.

China and Silverware

WE ARE making special prices for tomorrow with the object of literally crowding this popular department. Read every item carefully—the savings mean much.

ROGERS' KNIVES AND FORKS—12 dwt. warranted. Set of six knives and six forks—12 pieces in all, at set $2.08

ROGERS' TABLE SPOONS, in three different patterns. Set of six pieces to go at. 89c

ROGERS' TEA SPOONS in three different patterns. Set of six pieces to go at only 47c

WATER SETS—Beautiful Bohemian blown glass water pitcher, with crimped top, nicely ornamented with white and blue, enameled foliage in tropic designs. Six glasses to match. 85c and 95c values at, set 59c

SUGAR AND CREAM SETS—Beautifully ornamented Bavarian ware sugar and cream sets, with floral designs in gold. 48c sorts at, set 25c

CUPS AND SAUCERS—Plain white semi-porcelain cups and saucers in the regular 10c cups and saucers. Only six to a customer at 6 for 25c

DINNER SETS, $10.98—100-piece dinner sets in English china in flow blue or white, with gold tracing. The regular $16.50 grade will be offered tomorrow at, set $10.98

Fourth Floor—Five Elevators.

Women's Dainty Undermuslins--Broken Lines

OWING to the great sales of the past few weeks there is a large accumulation of broken lines of dainty Muslins, including Petticoats, Gowns, Chemise, Drawers and Corset Covers. Every garment is charmingly trimmed with pretty laces and embroideries. Values run up to $1.35. These will be offered at only ... 98c

ANOTHER BROKEN LOT of beautiful gowns, skirts, chemise, drawers and corset covers in cambric and nainsook, handsomely trimmed with laces and embroideries. Very special price at only $1.39

35c DRAWERS AT 25c—Women's drawers of good cambric, trimmed with laces or hemstitched, and embroidery ruffles, 35c values at 25c

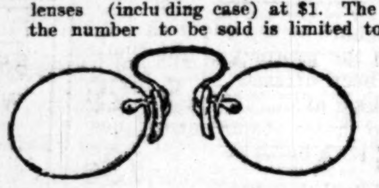
WOMEN'S GOWNS AT 50c—Pretty gowns of cambric, with Hubbard yokes, trimmed with insertions of embroidery and clusters of tucks. Neck and sleeves finished with ruffles. Special values at 50c

INFANTS' LONG CLOAKS in Spring weight Bedford cord, with deep collar, trimmed with lace edge and insertion. Special values at $1.85

Second Floor—Five Elevators.

Another Great Offer---$5 Gold Eyeglasses at $1.00

Tomorrow we will offer just a hundred pairs of 10-Karat Solid Gold Eyeglasses, fitted with crystal lenses (including case) at $1. The mountings are screwless and fitted with sanitary guards. As the number to be sold is limited to a hundred, it means that the first hundred purchasers will quickly absorb the supply. So if you are interested in $5 gold glasses at one dollar, you must be prompt. Choice $1.00



MR. OLIVER ABEL, the expert optician, is in charge of the optical store. This fact absolutely insures satisfaction in evry case, and all work is guaranteed.

Main Floor, Rear.

Toilet Articles—Special Prices Tomorrow

25c size Sanitol Tooth Powder at	15c
Java Rice Face Powder, 35c size, at	19c
Hinds' Honey and Almond Cream at	33c
Butermilk Soap, genuine Casino, at	5c
Armour's Toilet Soap at 3 cakes for	19c
Nail Scrubs, best bristle, solid backs, at	25c
Hair Brushes, 75c solid back Hair Brushes at	50c
Tooth Brushes, four row bristle, medium size,	5c
Tooth Brushes, with initial engraved on the handle. These were 25c. Special tomorrow,	15c
Camphor Balls, special, per box, only	5c
Sea Salt, for the bath, pound, only	12c
Bailey's Talcum Powder, only, box	8c
Coke's Dandruff Cure, will go at, only	29c
Rubber Cupping Cups, special price, only	15c
Dr. Pray's Ongoline, 50c value, go at, only	35c
Dr. Pray's Rosaline, 25c value, go at, only	18c
Dr. Pray's 25c Diamond Nail Enamel, goes at, only	17c
Orange Sticks, regularly 3 for 5c, go at, dozen, only	15c
Baby's ath Soap, 3 cakes in box; 35c value, go at, only	25c

Main Floor—Aisle Five.

Economy Basement Salesroom

Wash Goods Bargains

12½c Toile Du Noid Ginghams, 7½c

THEY come in length 10 to 20 yards, nearly full pieces of genuine Toile du Noid Ginghams, that are selling everywhere at 12½c a yard in every style made. Special 7½c

19c SATINE AT 12½c—Think! 36-inch Printed Satine, every piece silk finished, full 36 inches wide, in all the new printing of Foulard effects, including the new border design, special, yard 12½c

19c to 25c WASH FABRICS 10c—Some say we are foolish to offer brand new seasonable merchandise at such prices, but we sell as we buy, and offer our patrons the plums; they are printed in all the new floral patterns; neat dots, figures, etc., in lace, etamine, silk finished poplins, linen novelties, etc., 19c to 25c value, yard 10c

25c LACE ZEPHYRS 12½c—Lace designed Zephyrs; just the fabric for spring dresses and waists; regular 25c values at, special, yard 12½c

Basement Salesroom—Five Elevators.

Lace Pique, 10c

LACE PIQUE, 10c—Over 50 styles of the newest of the season's novelties. Lace woven Pique; nothing nicer for children's dresses, ladies' suits and waists. Regular 15c grades at, yard 10c

30c NOVELTIES 19c—Mercerized Jacquards quards in all the newest designs; also woven Mercerized English Poplins, with neat dot effects. Special, yard 19c

40-INCH IRISH BATISTE, 10½c—Real Irish Batiste, with that peculiar finish that only the man from the Emerald Isle can put on the goods; 40 inches wide; wanted for misses' underwear, shirtwaists and dresses; 18c value; special, yard 10½c

36-INCH BERKLEY CAMBRIC, 9c—Regular 12½c Berkley Cambric, with soft finish, especially adapted for underwear; as long as they last, yard 9c

Basement salesroom—five elevators.

A Neckwear Special! Basement Salesroom

IN THE basement salesroom tomorrow we will offer 200 dozen Women's Pt. Gage and Pt. Venise Lace Stocks, in white or butter color, and white linen turnover collars, embroidered in silk. They come in all colors and sell everywhere at 25c. Friday they're only 10c

Embroidered Turnover Collars—10c sorts at 2½c

Linens, Napkins, Towels and Spreads

FINE 50c DAMASK 29c—Full 70-inch Half Bleached Linen Damask, in a new assortment of patterns; extra heavy and a durable 50c quality; tomorrow, special, yard 29c

69c IRISH DAMASK 55c—Full Bleached Irish Damask, 70 inches wide; a good heavy weight, and comes in a variety of choice patterns; 69c grade at, yard 55c

85c DAMASK 69c—A full bleached, free from dressing and other destructive chemicals, 70-inch Damask; regular 85c Damask, at, yard 69c

24-inch Napkins, to match, dozen $2.25

$1.25 NAPKINS, DOZEN 98c—100 dozen Full Bleached Heavy Weight 18-inch Napkins, in attractive designs; regular $1.25 values, special, dozen 98c

15c CRASHES 10c—All Pure Linen Homespun and Barnsley Crashes, with all white borders; these are the regular 15c crashes; they're yours at, yard 10c

15c HUCK TOWELS 10c—Extra large size Huck Towels; can be used for face or bath purposes; they are 22x46 inches; 15c quality, at, each 10c

LINEN HUCK TOWELS—Just 50 dozen extra heavy Linen Huck Towels, with white or red borders, in the regular 25c grade, at, each 19c

18c HUCK TOWELS 14c—Red and White Bordered Huck Towels, in a good heavy durable quality; quantity limited; regular 18c Huck Towels, at, each 14c

$1.59 SPREAD FOR $1.25—A full double bed size Fringed Crochet Spread with cut or square corners; a value that in regular stock will cost you $1.59, special $1.25

$2.00 COLORED SPREADS AT $1.69—These come in dainty colors of blue and pinks, are full bed size; have fringe; a nice assortment of Marseilles patterns; special, each $1.69

"COLONIZE TRIBUTARY TERRITORY TO GIVE ST. LOUIS A MILLION."

Contestant for Post-Dispatch's $500 Prize Would Settle Productive Lands.

BIGGER MARKET FOR GOODS

Another Advocates Including Amount to Build Free Bridge in Proposed Bond Issue.

Contestants seem to be realizing better that there is a great deal of thought necessary in the Post-Dispatch $500 prize contest. Several Wednesday sent in more than a single suggestion and followed their ideas up with a comprehensive statement as to the carrying out of their suggestions. One correspondent sent in six suggestions, all showing careful consideration, one of which is printed today.

Contestants should not forget the rules of the contest, which call for a single suggestion in each letter, not to consist of more than two hundred words.

Write on one side of the paper and be sure to address all communications care of the Editor of the Million Prize Contest.

Takes Issue on Free Bridge.

W. B. Cumbriand, 1624 Biddle street, seems to take issue with the majority of the contestants on the proposition of a free bridge. He says:

"The proposition of getting what we desire in the line of increasing our population, has taken a wide range of thought from having a free gridge to the doing away with bridge charges or excessive toll, as it should be called, and which shows ignorance to the fullest extent in the matter of trying to kill the goose that lays the golden egg, or, in other words, discriminating against the natural in favor of the artificial, and makes possible the old saying that it is always better to trust those who have than those who have not.

"Centralization is the order of the day, and there is no better illustration than the Terminal system, which has centralized all railroads entering our city. Our city is the natural center of our country, and with its unlimited space extending west and in line with the natural action, which gives us one of the most perfect systems of drainage in the world, show to any one who is desirous of taking advantage of further developments this way and in excepting that way by the railroads they but add to their advantage. Some one must make the dollar, and it does not matter who so long as we advance to our desired position."

Free Four-Track Bridge.

Charles W. Fox, 3634 Cote Brilliante avenue, is an advocate of including an amount necessary to build a free bridge in the proposed bond issue. He writes:

"The first step towards building up the commercial and manufacturing interests of our city and ensuing a population of 1,000,000 inhabitants in the near future is to build a free four-track railroad bridge across the river at this point. It is folly to waste our time and energy in a legal contest with the 'bridge arbitrary,' as they are armed at all points and it would be a losing contest.

"We can outflank them and this we must do. The new bridge would be the first link in the chain of improvements that are necessary to lead up to the 'grand climax' that will give to St. Louis a population of 1,000,000 inhabitants or more in the shortest time that it can be accomplished.

"It takes money to build bridges; let the necessary amount be incorporated in the proposed new 'bond issue,' to be voted on at the April election. This would make the 'bond issue' popular and assure its passage. Let us have the necessary legislation at once from Council and Legislature. Let the gentlemen of the Million Club appoint a committee to draft ways and means and engineers to select location. We must be up and doing, as we have a great task to perform."

Favors Colonizing.

W. C. Dunlap, Equitable Building, favors colonizing the territory tributary to St. Louis as a means of securing the desired end. This is his suggestion:

"Developing a million population calls for something more than cleaning up our back yards, paving our neglected streets, and embellishing our public institutions. It perhaps goes even beyond removal of the bridge arbitrary and reduction of water rates, etc., albeit these are praiseworthy suggestions whatever the goal.

"St. Louis is the natural gateway, the logical market for the Southwest. Being a manufacturing and distributing center, St. Louis depends upon her trade territory for support. St. Louis will grow as her trade territory develops. A calm, reasonable survey of the situation suggests the wisdom of developing the territory from which St. Louis draws trade, increasing its consuming power by colonizing and settling its cheap productive lands. St. Louis should assist the railroads in building up her tributary territory, which will in turn build up St. Louis. Make a bigger market for St. Louis goods and you will make a bigger St. Louis.

"The Million Club should call an Immigration Congress, composed of itself, the Southwestern railroads, Southwestern Immigration Bureaus, Southwestern State Immigration Commissioners, delegations from Southwestern Cities' Commercial organizations, etc. Let this congress determine the ways and means for populating the Southwest on a big, comprehensive scale.

"If you want an example of what developing a territory will do for its logical market, look at what has come to Chicago by settling the West and Northwest."

UNIONS TO OPPOSE RATE LEGISLATION

Labor Organizations Fear Wages Will Be Cut if Railroads Are Interfered With.

WASHINGTON, March 9.—Organized labor is preparing to oppose railroad rate legislation. This is a new and unexpected feature of the system. The antagonism of the workingmen has not heretofore been taken into account.

Information has rached the Senate interstate commerce committee that formal protests will be filed by all the leading labor organizations against legislation giving any individual or commission authorty to regulate freght and passenger rates.

The action of the labor organization is based on the speech made by Lucius Tuttle, president of the Boston & Maine Railroad, to his employes, in which he warned them that reductions in wages will follow the granting of increased powers to the interstate commerce commission.

Copies of the speech were circulated among workmen throughout the country, and has proven convincing to them.

PRESIDENT REMEMBERS FRIEND

Roosevelt's Offer of Appointment to Democrat to Displace Republican a Surprise.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

WASHINGTON, March 9.—The offer of a United States district attorneyship to ex-Representative Tate of Georgia, is attracting much comment among members of Congress.

The surprise is chiefly created by the fact that the present incumbent is E. A. Angier, a Republican, who has held the place two terms. The place offered Mr. Tate is the attorneyship for the northern district of Georgia, an important position.

Mr. Tate served six terms in Congress and was a member of the House naval affairs committee when Mr. Roosevelt was assistant secretary of the navy. He has long been a close friend of Attorney-General Moody and is held in high esteem both by the President and Mr. Moody.

The selection is considered more as the result of personal friendship than for political reasons. Mr. Tate has been a lifelong Democrat.

When You Hear the Doorbell Ring There's a Good Girl Behind It.

If you have not tested "the want ad way" of getting domestic help, you probably think the servant problem is the hardest one connected with homemaking.

Not so.

4181 women and girls secured positions in commercial and domestic work during February through the want columns of the Post-Dispatch.

How is it done?

This way: Get pen or pencil and any piece of paper. Write 14 words, expressing your need of a domestic.

Send the piece of paper and 14 cents to the nearest drug store.

That is as far as you need concern yourself about the matter.

The proprietor of the drug store is agent for the Post-Dispatch. He will have one of his clerks phone your advertisement to the main office.

Within a few hours the Post-Dispatch containing your offer of employment will be in the hands of more readers than there are homes in the city.

Then get ready to answer the doorbell.

That's all.

Try it.

Mrs. Rea's Estate $411,000.

An inventory of the estate of Mrs. Emeline Frisbie Rea, who died at her residence, 1627 North King's highway, Feb. 18, filed in the office of the probate clerk, shows the estate to be valued at $411,4[illegible], divided as follows: Notes and interest, $64,460; stocks, $10,900; bonds and coupons, [illegible]; cash, $110,742.47; goods and chattels, [illegible].

St. Louis has more Post-Dispatch readers every day than it has homes. "First in everything."

NIEDRINGHAUS TALKS ABOUT CITY TICKET

Confers With Chairman Howe—Declines to Express Preference for Mayor.

Thomas K. Niedringhaus, Republican caucus nominee for United States senator, said to a Post-Dispatch reporter Thursday morning that he will probably return to Jefferson City Thursday evening. He spent the morning at the state committee headquarters in the Commercial building.

"The meeting of my friends here last night I called," he said, "simply for the purpose of telling them, as I told a Post-Dispatch reporter yesterday, that I will under no circumstances be a candidate for mayor."

Mr. Niedringhaus and Chairman Howe of the city committee have conferred during the former's stay in St. Louis, presumably in relation to the composition of the Republican city ticket to be selected next Wednesday. Mr. Niedringhaus says he is interested in the personnel of the ticket, as he has always been. When asked who would be nominated for mayor, he declined to express a preference.

"You can't tell what a convention will do," he said, "until it does it. I have had some experience in that line myself recently."

Arthur A. B. Woerheide is now most prominently mentioned as the probable choice of the anti-Talty men for mayor. Judge Talty's followers, however, say he will certainly be nominated.

POND'S EXTRACT

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should be treated with Pond's Extract, followed by the application of Pond's Extract Ointment.

On analysis of seventy samples of WitchHazel-offered as "the same thing"—fifty-two were shown to contain wood alcohol or formaldehyde or both. Avoid danger of poisoning by using

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Write us the name, style and general description of your old Piano, Organ or Piano Player and price.

If we can use it we will send our wagon for same with the cash.

Reply immediately, for this advertisement may not appear again.

KIESELHORST PIANO COMPANY

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914 OLIVE STREET

WOOD TO BURN!

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DEATHS.

CUNNINGHAM—On March 8, at 2:20 p. m., John J. Cunningham, beloved husband of Nellie Cunningham (nee McKenna), and son of Catherine Cunningham, aged 42 years.

Funeral from family residence, 116 South Channing avenue, on Friday, March 10, at 1:30 p. m., to St. Malachy's Church, thence to Calvary Cemetery. Friends invited to attend.

Deceased was a member of Council No. 1, K. F. M.; West Gate Lodge, A. O. U. W., and past president of Division No. 3, A. O. H.

West Cross (Wis.) and Alton (Ill.) papers please copy.

DREIER—On Wednesday, March 8, 1905, at 7:15 o'clock a. m., Joseph Gabsky Dreier.

The funeral will take place Friday, March 10, at 9 o'clock a. m., from Chapel St. Louis Mullanphy Hospital, to Calvary Cemetery. Please omit flowers.

EDGEWORTH—On Monday, March 6, at Cripple Creek, Colo., R. L. Edgeworth, beloved husband of Kate Edgeworth (nee Reilly), father of Mrs. W. S. Basrickel and Florence and Lovell Edgeworth.

EVANS—Entered into rest on Thursday, March 9, at 2 a. m., Charles Orrick Evans, aged 66 years, beloved husband of Helen Evans, nee Caldwell.

The funeral will take place from family residence in Kirkwood Friday, March 10, at 3 p. m. Interment private.

GREEN—On Thursday, March 9, 1905, at 1 o'clock a. m., James F. Green, beloved husband of the late Alice Green (nee Halley), son of the late Thomas and Bridget Green, brother of John, Thomas, Bridget and Mary Green and Mrs. Patrick Wall, aged 38 years.

The funeral will take place from family residence, No. 1604 Helen street, to St. Leo's Church, thence to Calvary Cemetery.

Due notice of time will be given.

Deceased was a member of St. Louis Fire Department, No. 4 Engine Co.

Evansville (Ill.), Kansas City (Mo.), and Norwich (Conn.) papers please copy.

HADENTHAL—Entered into rest on Tuesday, March 7, 1905, at 9:30 a. m., after a short illness, Egidius Hadenthal, beloved husband of Francisca Hadenthal (nee Hasenfratz), and dear father of Emil Hadenthal, Mary Hohn (nee Hadenthal), Frances Bohleber (nee Hadenthal), at the age of 77 years 2 months and 8 days.

Funeral from family residence, 3218 South Ninth street, on Friday, March 10, 1905, at 7:30 a. m., to St. Agatha Church, thence to SS. Peter and Paul Cemetery.

Friends and relatives are invited to attend.

HERCHENROEDER—On Tuesday, March 7, 1905, at 8:30 p. m., John W. Herchenroeder, in his 80th year, husband of Margaret Herchenroeder (nee Ruhl) and father of Mrs. G. Luetkenholder, Mrs. A. H. Boeckstiegel, Mrs. Paul Ehrler, Emma Herchenroeder and Dr. Louis C. Herchenroeder.

Funeral from family residence, 2002 East Prairie avenue, Friday, March 10, at 2 p. m., to St. John's Cemetery.

Deceased was a member of Harry P. Harding Post, G. A. R.

HOFFNER—On Tuesday, March 7, at 7:25 p. m., after a lingering illness, Hubert Hoffner, Sr., dearly beloved husband of Catherine Hoffner (nee Wich) and our dear father, at the age of 77 years.

Funeral Friday, March 10, from residence, 924 South Sarah street, to St. Bernard's Church, thence to SS. Peter and Paul's Cemetery. Friends invited to attend.

HUEMMLER—On Tuesday, March 7, 1905, after a lingering illness, John H. Huemmler, in his 73d year, at Washington, Mo., beloved husband, father, grandfather and great-grandfather.

Funeral from residence, 3018 Eads avenue, at 8:30 a. m., Friday, March, 10, 1905, to St. Vincent's Church, thence to SS. Peter and Paul's Cemetery. Omit flowers.

LARGE—On Wednesday, March 8, at 10:05 a. m., Thomas Large, aged 62 years and 9 months, beloved father of Henry C. Large, Mrs. Lottie J. Talbot, Mrs. Georgia A. Hirsch, Fannie E. and Grace M. Large, and father-in-law of Mrs. Ida R. Large, Harry S. Talbot and William A. Hirsch.

Funeral Friday, March 10, at 2 p. m., from family residence, 3528 Olive street, to Bellefontaine Cemetery.

RAUB—Entered into rest, at St. Luke's Hospital, Tuesday, March 7, 1905, at 6:30 p. m., Uriah Raub, in his ninety-first year.

Interment at Easton, Pa.

REED—At rest on Tuesday, March 7, 1905, at 6:25 p. m., Ada L. Reed (nee Price), beloved wife of Joseph R. Reed, dear mother of Bertha and Grace Reed and sister of Mrs. Bertha Maddox, at the age of 23 years.

Funeral will take place on Friday, March 10, at 9:30 a. m., from residence, 1532 Wash street, to Christ Church Cathedral, thence to Bethania Cemetery.

SMITH—Entered into rest on Wednesday, March 8, 1905, at 10:30 o'clock a. m., John Smith, beloved brother of Kate and Julia Smith.

Funeral will take place from the late residence, 2432 North Spring avenue, on Saturday, March 11, at 2 o'clock p. m., to St. Teresa's Church, thence to Calvary Cemetery. Friends are respectfully invited.

WATERS—In New York city on March 8, Frank A. Waters, son of the late William H. Waters of this city.

WEBER—On Wednesday, March 8, at 4 a. m., Elsie Edna Weber, aged 10 years and 8 months, dearly beloved daughter of Edward and Laura Weber (nee Brewster), and sister of Roland, Homer and Richard Weber.

Funeral will take place on Friday, March 10, at 2 p. m., from family residence, 3506 Bailey avenue, thence to Bellefontaine Cemetery.

Death notices received too late for classification will be found on page twenty-three.

NORMAN MONUMENT CO.,
1407 N. GRAND AV.
New and Up-to-Date Stock
Granite and Marble.

Births Recorded.

J. and G. Prost, 3030 N. Broadway; boy.
Charles and Mary Klats, St. Louis; girl.
James and Mary Ross, 8336 Rutger; girl.
Fred and Mary Tremaine, 6368 Easton; boy.
Wm. and May Rudolph, St. Louis; boy.
William and Eva Reinert, 3882 Cottage; boy.
Ed and Francis Luckey, 3913 Finney; girl.
Ed and Vida Hann, 25 N. Spring; boy.
Charles and Maggie Oakley, 810 Julia; girl.
Charles and Mollie Severtz, 516 O'Fallon; girl.
Geo. and Olenda Richter, 2721 Sullivan; boy.
Theo. and Gertrude Custer, 3416 Hickory; boy.
H. and M. Hagensieker, St. Louis; boy.
Herman and Minnie Kumpel, 3100 N. 11th; boy.
Ed and Kitty Davis, 2719 N. Broadway; girl.
Aug. and Lydia Schneider, 5004 N. Broadway; girl.
S. and M. Seller, 3213 S. 7th; twins.
Jas. and Minnie Cutman, 4424 S. 13th; boy.

Marriage Licenses.

John M. Hememan	Swansea, Ill
Carrie Klein	Belleville, Ill
Edward Franke	Cleavesville, Mo
Mary Rinne	Margaret, Mo
G. W. Barton	1209 Manchester av
Nellie Green	St. Clair, Mo
Louis Rose	1525 Carr st
Laura Prewett	Little Rock, Ark
Wm. H. Stadler	2862 Salena st
Hulda Gramemann	1713 Carroll st
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PORTER WANTED—White porter, 18 or 20 years, for saloon. 5649 Easton av.

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BOTTLE WRAPPER WANTED—Experienced bottle wrapper. 2005 Locust. Chattanooga Medicine Co.

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BUTTONHOLE MAKER WANTED—A buttonhole maker in custom vests. 816½ Chestnut st., room 6.

CASHIER WANTED—Girl for cashier. St. Charles Restaurant, 14th and St. Charles.

CHAMBERMAIDS WANTED—Experienced, at Hotel Rozier.

CHAMBERMAID WANTED—A strong, country woman for chamber work; permanent. 201 N. 12th st. (7)

CHAMBERMAIDS WANTED—Two; must have experienced in hotel work. Mona House, 209 N. 6th st.

COMPOSITOR WANTED—Lady compositor; also two beginners. Call 1724 Washington av.

COOK WANTED—White cook; no washing; small family.

COOK WANTED—Colored woman cook. 2945 Franklin av., side door.

COOK WANTED—Woman short-order and lunch cook. 2733 Manchester.

COOK WANTED—Private family, with few boarders; right nice place for party. 4018 Morgan.

COOK WANTED—Allround woman hotel cook. J. E. Moltrops, Granite City, Ill. Kinloch phone 117. (4)

COOK WANTED—German girl for general housework; small family; good wages. 3968 Lindell bl.

COOK WANTED—Allround woman hotel cook. Kinloch phone 117, Granite City, Ill. I. E. Moltrop. (4)

COOK WANTED—Good white woman or girl, to help cook and do work in kitchen. 3719 Olive st.

COOK WANTED—Cook, $20; girl for general housework, $18; girl to assist, $10. 3606 Finney av.

COPYISTS WANTED—Two girls to do copy work on Remington typewriter. Red Cross Supply Co., 202 S. Main st.

DINING ROOM MAN WANTED—References required. 4411 Washington bl.

DISHWASHER WANTED—Colored woman. 708 N. 7th st.

DISHWASHER WANTED—Girl, day work, German preferred. Cafe Liberty, 907 N. 11th st.

DRESSMAKER WANTED—First-class dressmaker. 1439 N. Grand av., millinery store.

DRESSMAKER WANTED—Dressmaker wants experienced waist, skirt and sleeve finisher; also apprentice with some experience; paid while learning very artistical dressmaking. 3015 Washington av.

GIRL WANTED—For general housework; family of 2. 3644 Castleman av.

GIRL WANTED—For general housework in private family; no outside work. 4623 Maryland.

GIRL WANTED—For general housework; no washing; good wages. 5202A McPherson. (89)

GIRL WANTED—For general housework; good home. 2828 Henrietta st.

GIRL WANTED—Good white girl, for general housework; small family. 2020 St. Louis.

GIRL WANTED—For gentral housework; small family; good home. 4439 Page bl.

GIRL WANTED—German Catholic girl in family of two. 1630 N. 18th st. (4)

GIRLS WANTED—Fifteen girls wanted by the Fulton Bag & Burlap Co., 612 S. 7th st. (7)

GIRLS WANTED—For general work in folding box factory. 219 Market st.

GIRL WANTED—Neat young girl for bakery lunchroom. 1038 N. Vandeventer av.

GIRL WANTED—Good white girl, for general housework. 5548 Maple av.

GIRLS WANTED—For factory work; steady employment, fair wages. Apply 1701 Menard st. (8)

GIRL WANTED—For dining and upstairs work. Apply 4850 Maryland av.

GIRL WANTED—About 15 years old; will get good home; no children. 1537 S. 7th, 2d floor.

GIRL WANTED—For general housework; no laundry. 4606 Westminster pl.

GIRL WANTED—For general housework, to go to the country; family of 2. 5214 Washington.

GIRLS WANTED—Experienced bindery girls, at Woodward & Tiernan Printing Co., 309 N. 3d.

GIRL WANTED—White girl to assist general housework; good home and wages. 2923 Lawton.

GIRLS WANTED—Lace curtain pinners; experienced. 3007 Olive.

GIRL WANTED—To do kitchen work. 6 S. Broadway.

GIRL WANTED—15; easy work; good pay. 4248A Olive st.

GIRLS WANTED—For factory work; good wages; steady work. Southern Mill, 1428 S. 9th st. (4)

GIRLS WANTED—Sewing girls; pay while you learn. St. Louis Embroidery Co., 1006 Locust st. (6)

GIRLS WANTED—Experienced sewing girls; good pay; steady work. St. Louis Embroidery Co., 1006 Locust st. (6)

GIRL WANTED—For general housework; no washing; small family; good wages; reply at once with references, 5053 Westminster pl. (7)

GIRLS WANTED—Two young girls, fold circulars; $3.50 per week to start. Red Cross Supply Co., 202 S. Main st.

GIRL WANTED—3863 Delmar bl., good colored girl for general housework in private family; good wages.

GIRL WANTED—To take care of children; also woman to work in kitchen. Call at once, 716 Lucas av.

GIRL WANTED—To assist with shirt waists, remodeling underwear; 50c day, sleep home. Ad. Y 102, Post-Dispatch.

GIRL WANTED—Custom coats button-hole making and finishing; $20 per week. 321 Olive st., second floor.

GIRL WANTED—White girl, 14 to 16 years old, to assist in housework; no washing. 2947 Thomas st.

GIRL WANTED—Girl to wait on table; small restaurant. Come ready to work. 1008 N. Garrison av.

GIRLS WANTED—To work in pretzel bakery; experienced girls preferred. Phenninger Pretzel and Baking Co., 1411 S. 8th st. (7)

GIRLS WANTED—Two girls to do invoice work; must write fast hand. Red Cross Supply Co., 202 S. Main st.

GIRL WANTED—Experienced girl, for general housework; middle-aged preferred; good home and wages; references required. 5115 Westminster pl.

GIRLS WANTED—Girls experienced in making and trimming ladies' hats; wages $6 to $12 per week. Apply to Dept. Z, Strauss-Samis Millinery Co., 1021 Washington av. (3)

HATMAKERS WANTED—Hand made hatmakers and girls to learn; best of wages paid; steady position. Koons, 409 N. 3d st. (7)

HELPERS WANTED—For dressmaker; also girl to learn. 1026 N. Vandeventer av.

HELP WANTED—FEMALE.

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Household Servants Only, 14 Words, 14c.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—No outside work. 3721 Florissant av. (5)

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—One who can cook. 4027 Russell av. (5)

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—For general housework; small family. 4337 Page bl. (4)

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Girl for general housework. 3063 Laclede av.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Girl of 15 or 16 for light housework; no washing. 2134 S. Compton av.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Girl to assist with housework in flat. 5312 Delmar bl.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—German girl for general housework. 1427 Missouri av.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Girl for housework. 3993 Papin st. J. Johnson.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—A good girl for general housework; small family. 4543 Magnolia av. (6)

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—A young girl to assist with housework. 5179A Delmar bl.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—A girl for general housework; two in family. 4419 West Pine bl.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Competent girl for general housework. 4428A McPherson av. (5)

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Girl for general housework; small family. 4447 West Belle pl.

HOUSEKEEPER WANTED—Housekeeper for widower. 1531 Washington av., 2d floor.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Girl for general housework. 4218 Grand av.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Girl for general housework; no outdoor work. 2836 Clark av.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Girl for general housework at once. 3144 Locust st.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Good girl for general housework. 4124A Morgan st.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—At once, girl or woman to assist in general housework. 1811 Hickory st.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Good housegirl; fine place. 5053 Washington av.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Girl for housework in small family. 2731 Shenandoah av.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Good housegirl. 4169 McPherson av.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Good girl for general housework. 2300 Howard st.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Good girl for general housework; small family. 5025 Page bl.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—For general housework; small family; room to self. 2909 Lawton av.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—For general housework. 4203 Easton, near Whittier.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Girl for general housework; small family. 784A Aubert.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Small, neat girl to assist in housework. 3315 Sullivan.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—To do general housework; must be able to cook. Call 747 Bayard.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Young girl to assist in housework; small family of 2; 4972A Delmar bl.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Girl for general housework; small family, first floor. 3551 Olive.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Girl for general housework; family of three. 4225 West Belle pl.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—German girl of 15 to assist with general housework. 3113 St. Vincent.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—A girl for general housework; small family. 5086A Kensington av.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Good German girl for general housework. Apply 4142 Flad.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Good housegirl to help with laundry work. 4380 Pine st.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Girl to do housework in small family. 2805 Stoddard.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—German girl for general housework. 4743 Labadie av. (4)

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—For general housework; no washing. 4166 Delmar bl. (4)

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—References required. 4411 Washington bl.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Girl for general housework; good wages. 1704 N. Grand av. (4)

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Girl for general housework; good wages; good home. 2938 University. (5)

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Good girl for general housework; not married; come at once. 4114 Delmar bl.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Girl for general housework; one that can go home at night. 2609 Caroline st.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—A young German girl for light housework in bakery; no washing or ironing. 3130 Easton av.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Competent girl for general housework; family of two. 4135A Westminster av.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—White girl for general housework in small family; good pay. 4332A Olive st.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Experienced German housegirl for general housework or cooking and downstairs work; refs. 4419 Morgan st.

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HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Girl for general housework; good home for good girl; German preferred. Apply 4442A Delmar bl. (6)

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Young girl for light housework; no laundry; small family. 4452 West Belle pl. (5)

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Girl for general housework; three in family; no children. 2632 Russell av. (3)

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—For general housework; must be good cook; small family. 4068 Delmar bl. (92)

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—White girl for general housework; 3 adults; go home at night. 810 N. Compton av. (5)

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Young girl to assist with light housework; small family of adults. 3550 Arsenal st. (4)

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Good girl for general housework; two in family; good home; German or Swede preferred. 3759 Finney av.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Experienced girl for general housework; references required; lower flat; family of two. 4551 Laclede. (4)

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Girl or woman for general housework; must be able to do plain sewing; 3 in family; good wages. 2700 Caroline st.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Good housegirl; no other considered. Call 4 to 6; good wages. 3744A Olive st.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Steady woman or girl for general housework in private family. 3434 Laclede avenue. (4)

HOUSEWOMAN WANTED—Steady woman for general housework in family of couple and little boy; good home. Apply Friday, 4616A Delmar bl.; phone Delmar 2039 L.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Girl for general housework; 3 in family; no laundry, furnace or outdoor work; good wages; German or Swede preferred. Call 4216 Washington av.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Young girl, German or Jewish, for general housework; small flat, family of 2; call for information at our store, 218 S. 12th st. Phone Main 1587A.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Girl or woman for general housework in German country town 30 miles from St. Louis, in Missouri; good wages and treatment; steady place. 2019 Wyoming st.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Good German girl for general housework; good wages and home for right party; references required; family of 2. Grand car south. 3715 Hartford st. (4)

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Girl for general housework; one that can cook; 18 to 20 years old; can go home at night. Apply F. W. Kloche, 2326 Cass av.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—I want a girl for general housework; one who will appreciate a good home and treatment; take Tower Grove through car and get off at Clifton av. Mrs. Taylor, 6117 Simpson av., Clifton Heights.

LADIES, home work, stamping patterns, $4, $8 weekly; steady or evening. Call 3 days, room 409 Holland bldg. (62)

LADIES, steady reliable home work; leisure hours; good pay; established firm. Room 421, 721 Olive st. (7)

LADY WANTED—Middle-aged single lady; good home. 1217 N. Jefferson.

LAUNDRESS WANTED—First-class laundress for 2 days in week. 4329 Laclede.

LAUNDRESS WANTED—A colored laundress. Inquire at 914 Locust st.

LAUNDRESS WANTED—Laundress in family of three: white or colored. Ad. E 47, P.-D.

LAUNDRESS WANTED—Experienced laundress for Mounday, Tuesday and Wednesday. 14 Hortense pl.

MAID WANTED—Swiss or German, for two children: must speak excellent French and have references. Ad. E 96, Post-Dispatch. (2)

MAID WANTED—At once, an experienced maid. Washington University Hospital, Jefferson and Lucas.

MILLINER APPRENTICE WANTED—Young girl to learn millinery. 427 N. Vandeventer av.

NURSEGIRL WANTED—5202A McPherson av.

NURSE WANTED—Nurse at Baptist Orphan Home. 1900 Lafayette av.

NURSEGIRL WANTED—White, girl, 15 years, to nurse. Apply 4414 McPherson.

NURSEGIRL WANTED—Competent nursegirl for walking child and to assist with upstairs work. 4888 McPherson av.

OPERATORS WANTED.
On gowns, skirts, drawers and corset covers; also lace fellers and girls to learn; paid while learning.
FERGUSON-McKINNEY MUSLIN UNDERWEAR FACTORY, 1000 Locust st., 3d floor. (6)

HELP WANTED—FEMALE.

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ORDERLY WANTED—An orderly. St. Luke's Hospital, 5500 Delmar.

PACKERS WANTED—Girls wanted in our packing department. Apply Tuesday morning to superintendent Hanley & Kinsella Coffee and Spice Co.

PANTRY MAID WANTED—St. Luke's Hospital, 5500 Delmar.

PRESSFEEDER WANTED—Job pressfeeder. Pestaloz Printing Co., 1316 Pine st.

SALESLADIES WANTED—Ladies to sell reliable goods. 3507 Easton av.

SALESLADIES WANTED—Ladies to travel en route Portland, Ore., wholesaling to the trade. Liberal compensation. 3560 Olive st.

SCRUBWOMAN WANTED—At Moser Hotel, 808 Pine st.

SEAMSTRESS WANTED—Plain; every Tuesday; for mending. 3720 West Pine bl.

SEAMSTRESS WANTED—For plain house sewing; steady work; $1 and up per day. Seligman, 717 Washington av.

Shirt makers; custom work; power machine. Apply
SCRUGGS, VANDERVOORT & BARNEY.

SHIRTMAKERS WANTED—One experienced operator for felling machine, two to put on neckbands and two to make fronts; steady work, with good pay guaranteed. The Paul E. Wolf Shirt Co., 815 Washington av. (5)

SKIRTMAKERS WANTED—Experienced skirt and waist makers; good pay. Rosenfeld, 810 Washington av.

SKIRTMAKERS WANTED—50 experienced hands; plenty work and big pay; come at once. 415 N. 8th st.

SKIRTMAKER WANTED—Good skirtmaker and coat helper at once. Sigwald, 532 N. Vandeventer av.

STENOGRAPHER, ETC., WANTED—Lady stenographer and bill clerk; accurate at figures. Ad. E 100, Post-Dispatch.

TAILORESS WANTED—One who can make buttonholes; at once. Apply 322 Pine st., room 36.

TRIMMERS WANTED—Experienced trimmers on trimmed and ready-to-wear hats; good salary. Southwestern S. Wks., 2801 Benton st. (8)

WAISTMAKER WANTED—First-class waistmaker. Miss Howard, 4653 Maryland av. (7)

WAITRESS WANTED—Lady for short order work at once. Apply at 949 Pine st.

WAITRESS WANTED—28 S. 7th st.

WAITRESS WANTED—Experienced; must understand German. 314 S. Broadway.

WASHERWOMAN WANTED—Good, for Monday. Call Friday, 1906 Biddle st.

WATCHWOMAN WANTED—A woman night watch. Apply at 1827 Morgan st.

WOMAN WANTED—Woman to work around restaurant. 824 S. 2d st.

WOMAN WANTED—To do ironing, Friday; call this evening. 2112 Olive st.

WOMAN WANTED—Woman in kitchen; no Sunday work. 513¼ St. Charles st.

A LIFE-SIZE picture with each dozen photos at the When Studio, 1631 Franklin av.; telephone C917. (8)

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MANGLE GIRLS, ETC., WANTED—Mangle girls and girls to learn. Excelsior Laundry, 1013 N. Grand av. (5)

STARCHER WANTED—First-class starcher. Apply at once, Maplewood Laundry Co., 7319 Manchester av.

DRESSMAKING AND MILLINERY.

14 Words, 20c

DRESSMAKING—Plain and fancy dressmaking done satisfactory; trial orders solicited. 1426A S. Grand.

HELPERS WANTED—And apprentices on dressmaking. 4055A West Belle.

COLLEGE OF LADIES' TAILORING
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World's Fair Premium Tailor system taught. Individual instruction by the inventor, J. R. Van Dame. Night school, Monday and Tuesday evenings at 520 N. Grand; Thursday evenings at 3560 Olive. Instructions given by mail. Call or write for terms. (62)

SITUATIONS WANTED—MALE.

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BAKER—First-class baker and confectioner would like to change his position; day work; best references. Ad. E 45, Post-Dispatch. (6)

BARTENDER—Sit. wanted by experienced bartender. Ad. E 44, Post-Dispatch.

BOOKKEEPER—Sit. wanted by young man as bookkeeper or clerk, with 3 years' experience and A1 references. Ad. F 111, Post-Dispatch.

BOOKKEEPER—Experienced bookkeeper, several hours day; would like set books to write up. Ad. E 17, Post-Dispatch. (4)

BOY—Place wanted for boy, 15 years old, to work morning and evening; colored. 1614 Glasgow av.

CARPENTER—Sit. wanted by carpenter, to work for real estate firm or piecework. Can figure from plans. Elen, 911 Compton av.

CARPENTER—A nonunion carpenter wants work; wages reasonable; references if desired. Davis, 1437 N. Broadway.

CHEMIST—Position wanted as chemist foreman or superintendent by university graduate with 10 years' experience. Ad. D 125, Post-Dis. (4)

CLERK—Sit. wanted by an experienced shipping clerk, 23 years old. Ad. E 48, Post-Dis. (4)

CLERK—Grocery clerk, German, 22 years, wants position inside; now employed but would like to make a change. Ad. E 43, Post-Dispatch.

CLERK—Position wanted in grocery store as clerk; have had experience. Roy Harder, 61[illegible] Harris av.

CLERK—Young man wishes some clerical position; 3 years' experience; best of references; speaks German and English. Ad. F 185, P.-D.

CLERK—Sit. wanted by first-class grocery clerk with wholesale house; best references. Ad. J. Neubauer, 2728 Washington av.

COACHMAN—Sit. wanted by first-class coachman; reliable; 8 years in last place; best references. Ad. F 146, Post-Dispatch.

COLLECTOR—Sit. wanted by young man of [illegible] as collector; can furnish bond and reference. Ad. E 106, Post-Dispatch.

CUTTERS—Sit. wanted by first-class custom cutters. Ad. F. J., 606 W. 21st st., Kansas City, Mo.

DRUGGIST—Wants relief work; 10 years' city experience. J. R. de Lassus, 2925 Easton. (4)

ENGINEER—Sit. wanted by hoisting engineer; strictly temperate. 2912 N. 12th st.

FARMER—Situation by first-class colored farmer; permanent employment desired. 5364 Vermont.

FARMHAND—Sit. wanted by allround farmhand. 109 S. 7th st.

FOREMAN—Sit. wanted as foreman; energetic, inventive, especially in line of manufacturing novelties; able to take charge of stamping, die and tool rooms; can handle help to best advantage. Ad. W 53, Post-Dispatch.

HORSESHOER—Good horseshoer wants steady work. Ad. J. H., 1526 Chouteau av.

HOUSEBOY—Sit. wanted by colored boy from country as houseboy. 1925 Morgan st.

HOUSEMAN—Well-experienced houseman wants position; colored. 1909 Lucas av.

ICE CREAM MAKER—Young man desires position as ice cream maker; caterer work preferred; references. Ad. E 7, Post-Dispatch.

MACHINIST—Would like position taking care of factory machinery; have small shop; lathe, forge, etc. Ad. F 117, Post-Dispatch.

MAN—Young man wishes sit. of any kind; references and bond. Ad. F 27, Post-Dis.

MAN—Sit. wanted by a young man in a real estate office. Ad. E 141, Post-Dispatch.

MAN AND WIFE—Want sits. to do housework; country preferred. Ad. F 30, Post-Dis.

MAN AND WIFE—Young man and wife without incumbrance want position; town or country. Ad. E 86, Post-Dispatch.

MAN—Sober German, 31 years old, wants steady work for horse, cow, yard; good driver; references. Ad. F 2[illegible], Post-Dispatch.

MAN—Sit. wanted by young man in wholesale house; has references and bond. Ad. F [illegible] Post-Dispatch.

MAN—Situation wanted in private family by man to tend furnace, front lawn, etc., for board and lodging; job work outside; refs. Ad. [illegible] 84, Post-Dispatch.

MAN—Sit. wanted by a sober, industrious young man, a member of the Legion of Honor in good standing, to assist in office and collect, or timekeeper; have had experience in both [illegible] can furnish first-class references. Ad. F [illegible] Post-Dispatch.

MAN—Situation wanted by single man, [illegible] years' business and clerical exp.; record clean and commendable; refined character; [illegible] energetic; desires [illegible] legitimate business proposition. Ad. E 5[illegible] Post-Dispatch.

SITUATIONS WANTED—MALE.

20 Words, 10c.

MAN—Man having light horse desires permanent sit. by April 14. Ad. till April 1 for particulars, references, etc., Thomas, 5172 Raymond av., St. Louis. (92)

MEATCUTTER—Sit. wanted by first-class meatcutter; can give best of references. Call or address Meatcutter, 2717 Leffingwell av.

PAINTER—Painter, varnisher and hardwood finisher wants sit. with real estate firm or contractors; price reasonable; good workman. Ad. Y 96, Post-Dispatch.

PORTER—Sit. wanted by colored man as porter or janitor in building. 2824 Adams st. (5)

PORTER—Sit. wanted by a sober, reliable colored man as porter in barber shop. 1513 Glasgow.

PORTER—Sit. wanted as porter; can furnish good references; colored man. 206 S. 16th st.

PORTER—Sit. wanted by colored porter or housecleaning by day. Ad. M. W., 2826 Adams st.

PORTER, ETC.—Situation by man as porter or cook; can give references; colored. Ad. D 15, Post-Dispatch. (7)

PRINTER—Sit. wanted by photograph printer and finisher; commercial preferred; good references. 3307 Easton av.

RODMAN—Position wanted with civil engineering party as rodman or chainman; excellent references. Ad. F 33, Post-Dispatch.

TIMEKEEPER—Position wanted as timekeeper or clerk; young man, 20 years old; best references; moderate salary; work anywhere. Ad. F 140, Post-Dispatch.

WAITER—Sit. wanted by experienced colored waiter. 2630 Lawton av.

WAITER—Position wanted by first-class waiter, with references. Ad. R Jones, 2406 Marcus. (4)

WAITER—Sit. wanted in restaurant by good all-round waiter or short-order cook. Ad. F 51, Post-Dispatch.

WATCHMAN—Wanted, situation as night watchman; with experience; can give good references. 3304 N. 18th st. (4)

SITUATIONS WANTED—FEMALE.

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BOOKKEEPER—Sit. wanted by thoroughly competent bookkeeper and stenographer; 8 years' experience; can take entire charge of office. Ad. F 159, Post-Dispatch. (4)

CLERK—Sit. wanted by lady, clerk or cashier in drug store; can furnish references. Ad. E 95, Post-Dispatch.

COMPANION—Educated French young lady, fond of traveling, would like to travel as lady's companion; no salary. Ad. Mlle. M. Ferrin, care C. M. Huber, Crystal Springs, Miss. (6)

COMPANION—Position wanted by neat, refined young lady as companion to invalid or old lady; would travel. Ad. or call 3120A Clifton pl. E. Cassilis. (4)

COOK—Sit. wanted by woman as cook with small boy employed. 6310 Spencer pl.

COOK—Sit. wanted as cook by colored girl; good references. Morgan, 1507 Pine st.

COOK—Sit. wanted by good dinner and short-order cook. Ad. E 23, Post-Dispatch.

COOK—Sit. wanted by neat colored girl to do plain cooking in small family or housework. Ad. Tate, 1507 Pine.

COOK—Sit. wanted by an experienced middle-aged woman as cook in small restaurant or boarding house. Address Cook, 320 N. Channing av.

COOK—Sit. wanted by first-class colored cook; man and wife. Answer by mail or phone Delmar 2265. A. Steel, 3736 West Pine bl.

COOK—Sit. wanted by first-class middle-aged cook; also housemaid; together; in first-class family; strictly competent. Ask for Mrs. Smith, 3670 Finney av.

DEMONSTRATOR—Demonstrator and saleslady desires position; city refs. Ad. F 64, P.-D.

DISHWASHER—Sit. wanted by colored woman as dishwasher. 1933 St. Charles.

DRESSMAKER—Shirtwaist suits and dresses; first-class work; reasonable. 4131 Evans av.

DRESSMAKER—Sit. wanted by first-class dressmaker and tailoress; wants engagements in families; best references. Ad. E 16, P.-D. (5)

DRESSMAKER—First-class dressmaker wants more engagements by the day. Ad. Y 156, Post-Dispatch.

DRESSMAKER—Sit. wanted by first-class dressmaker to do sewing in first-class private families; $2 per day. Ad. F 29, Post-Dispatch.

GIRL—Sit. wanted by neat colored girl in family of 2 or 3. Ad. 3226 Lawton. Hobbs.

GOVERNESS—French lady, speaks sufficient English, wants position as governess or ladies' maid; like traveling. Ad. M. B., 2911 Morgan st. (6)

HOUSEMAID—Sit. wanted by a good housemaid; references. 3414 Klock st.

HOUSEWORK—Sit. to do general housework in small family. S. Johnson, 616 Beaumont.

HOUSEGIRL—Sit. wanted by settled girl, general housework. 3514 Page bl., telephone Lindell 1195, Delmar 2012.

HOUSEKEEPER—Young widow wishes position as housekeeper for respectable people. Call 3705 St. Louis.

HOUSEGIRL—Girl of 17 wishes to assist with housework. Ad. Irene McKeseck, 4245 St. Louis av.

HOUSEWORK—Willing young woman wants housework or paint cleaning 4 days week, from 8 to 5 p. m. 2259 S. Jefferson av. Ad. E. P.

HOUSEKEEPER—Sit. wanted as housekeeper by young widow with one child. Call at 4227 Evans av., upstairs. (4)

HOUSEGIRL—Sit. wanted by good colored girl, to help light housework evenings after school and Saturday. 719 N. 22d st.

HOUSEWORK—Sit. wanted by young woman, to do housework; willing to help all round; go home nights. 2307A Wash st.

HOUSEGIRL—Sit. wanted by young girl to take charge of housework in private family, first days in every week. Inquire in store, 2116 S. Broadway. (4)

HOUSEGIRL—Sit. wanted by young girl to take charge of housework in private family; first-class every way. Inquire in store, 2116 S. Broadway. (5)

HOUSEKEEPER—Sit. wanted by middle aged woman as working housekeeper for widower with small children; no objection to country. Canell, 310 N. Channing av.

HOUSECLEANING, ETC.—Sit. wanted by young colored woman, housecleaning, plain laundry or cooking in small family. Ad. M. D., 2826 Adams st.

HOUSEKEEPER—Refined, middle-aged widow, good cook and seamstress, desires position as housekeeper, either in widower's family or as companion to invalid lady or aged couple; no triflers. 919 Park av.

ADY—Sit. wanted by refined young lady in doctor or dentist's office; answer telephone and take care of office. Ad. Y 100, Post-Dispatch.

AUNDRESS—First-class laundress will do laundry work or housecleaning. 2614 Wash. (4)

AUNDRESS—Wants washing and ironing to go out by the day. 1531 S. 3d.

AUNDRESS—First-class laundress wants washing to bring home. 4115A Fairfax av.

AUNDRESS—Woman wants small washing to bring home; men's preferred. Call or address 826 S. 6th st., basement.

AUNDRESS—Sit. wanted by white woman to do washing or house cleaning first three days in week. Mrs. Levine, 824 N. 22d st., 3d floor.

AUNDRESS—Laundry work wanted for last 3 days of week; references; colored. 1614 Glasgow.

AUNDRESS—Small washings to take home; cistern water; refs. Mary Owens, 4316 St. Ferdinand.

AUNDRESS—Sit. wanted by colored lady as laundress 2 or 3 days first of every week. Johnson, 1310 Prairie.

AUNDRESS—Sit. wanted by first-class laundress to bring washing home; small bundles preferred. Call or write Mrs. L. Davis, 4317¼ Cozens. (6)

AUNDRESS—Laundry work wanted by colored laundress, bring home or go out, by day. 1608 Glasgow.

AID—Sit. wanted by neat colored girl as light maid or plain cooking. 2605 Locust.

AID—Sit. wanted by reliable colored woman as lady's maid or housemaid; first-class private family; no laundry. Call or write 1124 N. 23d.

AID—Sit. wanted by a very neat colored girl as maid in store or office work; can give the best of city references in exchange. 1531 Gratiot st. (4)

URSE—Sit. wanted by good, reliable woman to nurse sick or confinement cases. Call or write 608 S. 8th st. (5)

URSE—Experienced nurse wants sit. to care for invalid or confinement cases; best hospital references. Ad. Y 101, Post-Dispatch.

RSEGIRL—Sit. wanted by nice young colored girl, nurse one child, not under 8 months of age; good home wanted; wages $2 week. Apply to or address Mrs. Temple, 715 N. Jefferson.

FICE WORK—Refined, intelligent lady of 35 wants position, in doctor's or dentist's office preferred. Ad. Y 81, Post-Dispatch.

ERATOR—Sit. wanted by young lady as operator, telephone, private branch exchange; have had 5 years' experience. Ad. E 186, P.-D. (5)

RUBWOMAN—Sit. wanted every Friday to clean house or wash curtains first of week. 2634A Lucas av.

ENOGRAPHER—Permanent position wanted by lady stenographer; one year's experience; moderate salary. Ad. E 13, Post-Dispatch. (6)

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20 Words, 10c.

STENOGRAPHER—Sit. wanted by a young lady stenographer or copyist; willing to begin with moderate salary. L. S., 3633 Iowa av.

STENOGRAPHER—Sit. wanted by an experienced young lady stenographer; will use own typewriter; references. Ad. 15 N. Cardinal. (4)

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STENOGRAPHER—First-class, experienced stenographer desires position; rapid and absolutely correct; best references; salary $35 per month. Ad. F 34, Post-Dispatch.

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14 Words, 20c

THEATRICAL—Chorus girls wanted for amateur comedy company. Ad. E 21, Post-Dispatch.

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THEATRICAL—Little Thelma Foster, professional buck and wing dancer, open for engagements. 3019 Easton av.

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CLOTHING WANTED—Highest price for gents' old clothing, shoes, feathers; postal, will call. Yalkeman, 908 High st. (5)

CLOTHING WANTED—Gentleman's cast-off suit, 42x31½ sack suit preferred; price reasonable. John Boyd, Vulcan Station, city.

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CHOUTEAU AV., 2925—Two rooms, $6.

CHOUTEAU AV., 1926—Two nicely furnished connecting rooms, for light housekeeping; bath.

CHOUTEAU AV., 1419—Furnished rooms, for housekeeping; bath and gas. (5)

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CLARK AV., 2204—Nicely furnished rooms, men or light housekeeping; cheap rent.

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COMPTON AV., 913 N.—Neatly furnished room; very cheap.

COMPTON AV., 216 N.—Large rooms, for light housekeeping; hot and cold bath.

COMPTON AV., 216 N.—Large room for housekeeping; hot bath.

COMPTON AV., 14 N.—Small room, second floor; all conveniences; $1.50; also housekeeping rooms; cheap. (7)

COMPTON AV., 1021 N.—Nicely furnished rooms, for gents or light housekeeping; hot bath; lowest prices. (4)

COOK AV., 4070—A nice hall room; gas stove; very reasonable.

COOK AV., 4042—One furnished room, second floor; suitable for two gentlemen.

COOK AV., 3931—Nicely furnished room; all conveniences; reasonable.

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EASTON AV., 2947—Furnished rooms for housekeeping; clean and conveniences.

EASTON AV., 4362A—Furnished front room, with alcove, housekeeping; heat, gas stove; $15 month.

EASTON AV., 3116A—Furnished rooms, cheap, to desirable parties; clean, quiet and conveniences.

EASTON AV., 4344A—Furnished room, for housekeeping; home privileges; bath; laundry.

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EVANS AV., 3609—One large unfurnished room, with bath; 2d floor; cheap to right party.

EVANS AV., 3609—Large front room, so. ex.; bath; gents or housekeeping; $2.50.

EWING AV., 821—Three nicely furnished rooms, for gentlemen or housekeeping; single or en suite; reasonable.

FINNEY AV., 4061—Large, nicely furnished front room; gentlemen only.

FINNEY AV., 3825—2 or 3 large completely furnished connecting rooms for housekeeping. (7)

FINNEY AV., 4208—Furnished front room to gentlemen or couple employed; hot bath; phone. (7)

FRANCIS ST., 1419—Two rooms complete for light housekeeping.

FRANKLIN AV., 910—Clean furnished rooms, for two gentlemen; heat and bath. (8)

FRANKLIN AV., 2701—One room, furnished complete for housekeeping; bath and laundry.

FRANKLIN AV., 3020—Nicely furnished room, reasonable. (4)

FRANKLIN AV., 3026—2 elegantly furnished connecting rooms, housekeeping; conveniences. (4)

FRANKLIN AV., 2841—Large, bright room, completely furnished for light housekeeping; reasonable, respectable people.

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GLASGOW AV., 1109—Connecting rooms, complete for housekeeping; sink and every convenience; kitchen; $8.

GRATIOT ST., 708—Furnished rooms for light housekeeping; $1.50 per week up. (6)

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LACLEDE AV., 3008—Two unfurnished rooms; no children.

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LACLEDE AV., 2922—Nicely furnished rooms; light housekeeping or sleeping; $1.50 week.

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LAWTON AV., 3340—Two furnished connecting rooms; gas, bath; for light housekeeping; reas.

LAWTON AV., 3142—Second-floor front and back room; separate or en suite; housekeeping.

LAWTON AV., 3010—Nice neatly furnished room; all conveniences; privilege housekeeping; reasonable; own home.

LAWTON AV., 3532—Large, bright furnished rooms; first or second floor; private family; privilege light housekeeping.

LAWTON AV., 3533—Two large connecting front rooms, neatly furnished, for housekeeping; $3.50 per week.

LEONARD AV., 912 N.—Two nicely furnished rooms, for light housekeeping, with conveniences; good cooking stove.

LEONARD AV., 618 N.—Nicely furnished single and connecting rooms; gas, hot bath, furnace heat; reasonable. (1)

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LINDELL AV., 3408—Large, clean, light, newly furnished rooms; baths; reasonable; call and examine.

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LOCUST ST., 2712—Two unfurnished rooms; also single room; furnished.

ROOMS FOR RENT—CITY.

14 Words, 10c.

LOCUST ST., 2808—Clean and bright rooms; prices very reasonable; call and see them.

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MORGAN ST., 3045—Nicely furnished second-story front and other rooms; reasonable; modern conveniences. (4)

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OLIVE ST., 2801—Five large rooms, furnished or unfurnished; 2d floor. (8)

OLIVE ST., 2910—Rooms furnished complete, gentlemen or housekeeping; reasonable.

OLIVE ST., 2732—Nicely furnished connecting rooms; gas, hot bath, gas stove and cook stove.

OLIVE ST., 2736—Nicely furnished front parlor; also front hall room; $1.25; bath and gas.

OLIVE ST., 2924—Nicely furnished front room for two gents or light housekeeping; bath; reas.

OLIVE ST., 2736—Three nicely furnished 2d floor rooms; bath, gas; no children.

OLIVE ST., 1322A—Nicely furnished, clean, light room, by day or week.

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OLIVE ST., 2921—Nicely furnished rooms for light housekeeping; reasonable price. (4)

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PINE ST., 3004—Furnished rooms; electric light, hot bath; furnace heat; gas; telephone; reas.(4)

PINE ST., 3140—Nicely furnished room; steam heat; hot bath; $1.50 each per week. (5)

PINE ST., 1119A—Large room for two or three; reasonable.

PINE ST., 3311—Nicely furnished rooms for gentlemen, $1.50 week; furnace heat; gas, bath. (5)

PINE ST., 2647—Nicely furnished rooms, including a front basement room, for light housekeeping.

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SIXTEENTH ST., 1439 N.—Two connecting completely furnished housekeeping rooms; cook stove, water, etc.; reasonable to respectable couple. (6)

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SIXTH ST., 419 N.—Rooms for gentlemen; steam heat, hot water, electric light, bath; $2 and up per week. (8)

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SPRING AV., 1702 N.—3 rooms.

SPRING AV., 725 N.—Near Delmar bl.; well furnished front room; Suburban, Olive and Delmar cars.

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TWENTIETH ST., 814 N.—Six neatly furnished front rooms; light housekeeping; $1.50 and $2 each.

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WHITTIER ST., 1019—Nicely furnished rooms; private family; hot bath; no other roomers.

WHITTIER ST., 1319—2 clean front rooms, nicely furnished, for housekeeping; gas, bath. (4)

WINDSOR PL., 3864—2 adjoining rooms, for housekeeping; gas, hot bath; very reas. (4)

For Colored People.

CHESTNUT ST., 2315—Beautifully furnished front room, with furnished kitchen, $3 per week.

ROOMS FOR RENT—CITY.

14 Words, 10c.

For Colored People.

LAWTON AV., 3226—Newly decorated front room; reasonable.

ROOMS WITH BOARD—CITY.

14 Words, 10c.

BARTMER AV., 6087—Comfortably furnished rooms, all conveniences; with or without board; three car lines; near Suburban power house; reasonable. (1)

BELL AV., 3218—Rooms, with board, for couple or two gentlemen; $4 per week each.

BELL AV., 4570—Nice front room, with good board, for 2 gentlemen; $4 per week. (5)

BEST FAMILY BOARD in my own home, 1837 Kennett pl., near Lafayette Park, with nicely furnished second-story room; $5 and $6 per week; $40 per couple; gas, hot bath, furnace heat; Kinloch phone Victor 1316. (3)

BOARD—Fine meals at Hotel Epworth; low rates. (8)

BOARDERS WANTED—Six or eight gentlemen, for meals, $3 per week. See Mrs. Porter, 3119 Lawton av.

BROADWAY, 4820 N.—Rooms and board, $3.50 per week; furnished room, $1 per week.

CONNECTICUT—Steam-heated room and board, $4.50 and up; without, $1.50 up. 3016 Lucas. (4)

COOK AV., 3656—Elegant room with board in private family; all conveniences. (4)

COOK AV., 4508—Two nicely furnished front rooms; good board and bath; $5 week each; phone Delmar 404R.

COOK AV., 3832—Handsome second-story front room; all modern conveniences; first-class board. (5)

COOK AV., 4515—Front room; good board; hot bath; southern exposure; four car lines; reasonable. (5)

COOK AV., 4304—Large, elegantly furnished front room; home comforts; choice board; reasonable; private family. (4)

COOK AV., 3685—Beautiful furnished room and board; all conveniences and comforts. (5)

COOK AV., 4260—Beautiful room; hot bath, furnace heat, gas; excellent table; reasonable.

DELMAR BL., 4060—Nice rooms; hot bath; with or without board; first-class.

DELMAR BL., 3868—Large front room; also single room; good board; hot bath; $4.50 week.

DELMAR BL., 3841—Large and very desirable 2d-story room; good board; terms reasonable. (6)

DELMAR BL., 3804—Beautifully furnished room; modern in every respect; excellent table.

DELMAR BL., 3884—Nicely furnished front room, with board; also other rooms; all conveniences. (3)

DELMAR BL., 3917—Second-story front and connecting rooms, with board; southern exposure; all conveniences.

DELMAR BL., 4247—Southern exposed rooms and board for gentlemen; reasonable; home comforts; Lindell 563. (5)

EADS AV., 2642—Newly furnished 2d-story room; all modern home comforts; adjoining hot bath; gas, closet, furnace; good table; telephone. (4)

ELEVENTH ST., 1518 S.—Neatly furnished front room, 1st floor, for one gent. (4)

ETZEL AV., 5550—Room and board, private family; new, modern home; connecting front rooms; furnace, electric light, bath; Page cars stop at door; phone Forest 1356M.

EUCLID AV., 308A—One single and two double 2d-story front rooms; steam heat; modern conveniences; excellent home cooking, nicely served; to gentlemen; references given and required; Maryland Olive line, Taylor cars pass door. Corner Maryland av.

FAIRMOUNT AV., 5163—Refined parties desiring first-class board; reasonable; new house; southern exposure; private family; West End; Suburban cars. (92)

FOLSOM AV., 3634—Nicely furnished room, with southern exposure, for two gentlemen, in private family of three adults; good home cooking; price $45. (5)

GRAND AV., 1039—Room and board. Opposite Odeon.

GRAND AV., 520 N.—First-class board, with a large, light room; convenient to Olive, Grand and Washington cars. (6)

GRAND AV., 2339 N.—Rooms with board; private family, well heated, home comforts; reasonable. (6)

HARPER ST., 3205—Large room, with or without board, for two gentlemen or couple.

HOTEL EPWORTH—We have 300 fine rooms and must have tenants; fine family accommodations; both phones. (8)

KENNETT PL., 1802—Large room, on 2d floor, with board; private family.

KING'S HIGHWAY, 844 N.—Large, comfortable rooms, $4.50, with board; suitable for 3; private family.

LACLEDE AV., 3410—Furnished rooms, with breakfast; reasonable.

LACLEDE AV., 3675—Lovely front room, with board, piano; every convenience; reasonable; private family.

LAFAYETTE AV., 2844—Handsomely furnished front room, with board.

LAWTON AV., 2834—Nicely furnished room, with board; very reasonable.

LINDELL BL., 3940—Beautifully furnished rooms, board; Bell phone. (4)

LINDELL AV., 3557—Splendid rooms; excellent board; $4 to $5; private home. (4)

LOCUST ST., 2113—Room and board, $4.50 per week each, for gentlemen.

LOCUST ST., 3144—Furnished rooms, with or without board.

LOCUST ST., 2730—Two connecting rooms to party of four, with board, $4 per week.

LOCUST ST., 2715—Comfortable, pleasant, clean rooms, with or without breakfast; all conveniences; reasonable.

LOCUST ST., 2309—Elegant, clean rooms; nice, respectable home; bath; excellent board; $5 week. (7)

LUCAS AV., 3211—Room and board; furnace heat, bath; $17.50 month; gentlemen.

LUCAS AV., 2925—Nicely furnished rooms, with board, for ladies or gents employed, $4 week. (5)

LUCAS AV., 2927—Well furnished room, with board; $4 per week; Kinloch phone 261C.

LUCAS AV., 3838—Rooms and board at $3.50 per week and up; every convenience. (4)

LUCAS AV., 3208—Want four people to take 2 clean furnished rooms, with board; $20 per month each.

LUCAS AV., 3030—Elegantly furnished light rooms, couple or gentlemen; home cooking; reasonable. (5)

McPHERSON AV., 4008A—Single room, with board; every modern convenience; references. (5)

MAPLE AV., 5641—Large 2d-floor front; southern exposure; good cooking; small room. (6)

MARYLAND AV., 4300A—Steam-heated, light rooms, gentlemen or ladies; telephone Lindell 2509. (6)

MARYLAND AV., 4353A—Choice 2d-story front; electric lights; bath; telephone; accommodate 2; private. (1)

MISSISSIPPI AV., 1018—Front room, with board, for one or two gents; hot bath and all conveniences; $4.50 per week.

MISSISSIPPI AV., 1540—Second-story rooms, with board; suitable for couple or gentlemen; also day boarders accommodated. (7)

MISSOURI AV., 1421—Nicely furnished 2d-story front room, with board. (6)

MORGAN ST., 3500—Nicely furnished rooms, with board; centrally located; with all convs. (3)

MORGAN ST., 4233—Furnished second-story front room, with board; nice and large; reasonable.

MORGAN ST., 2947—Furnished rooms, with or without board; steam heat, hot and cold bath. (5)

OLIVE ST., 3109—Nicely furnished rooms, with or without board; furnace heat and bath. (6)

OLIVE ST. 4342—Handsome suite of front rooms; telephone; private home of adults; $30 per month, with board if desired; first-class service. (4)

PAGE BL., 3538—Nicely furnished rooms, with or without board; bath, gas heat.

PAGE BL., 3919—Nicely furnished rooms; gas, bath, furnace; good table. (7)

PAGE BL., 4515A—Cozy furnished front room, with board; reasonable terms; for 2 or 3.

PAGE BL., 5267—Excellent accommodations; couples and people employed; home cooking; conveniences; reasonable. (6)

PAGE BL., 3840—Newly furnished and unfurnished rooms; conveniences; furnace; private family; with or without board. (7)

PARK AV., 2622—Nicely furnished second-story front room and connecting rooms; home cooking; all conveniences.

PINE ST., 3335—Well-furnished rooms, with or without board; references required. (8)

PINE ST., 3322—Room, with excellent board; private family. (4)

ROOM AND BOARD—Cabanne, near Hamilton Hotel; choice two rooms, so. ex.; board. Phone Forest 2741A or ad. E 34, Post-Dispatch. (4)

ROOMS AND BOARD—Young widow having lovely home, West End, will rent rooms to gentlemen willing to pay for first-class accommodations; phone Forest 1032A. (5)

ROOM AND BOARD—West End; Suburban cars, 1st-class board; private family; new house; 3 refined gentlemen, $60; 2, $45; southern exposure. Kinloch 576L, Delmar. (62)

ROOMS AND BOARD—Private family; 2 elegantly appointed rooms; southern exposure; home comforts; southern cooking. Phone Lindell 122°. (5)

ROOM AND BOARD—Family in the West End, with their own home, will take two young men, 2d-story front room and choice table. Ad. E 39, Post-Dispatch.

ROOMS WITH BOARD—CITY.

14 Words, 10c.

ROOM AND BOARD—Lady having flat in desirable locality wants two gentlemen to room and breakfast; modern conveniences; piano, telephone. Ad. D 72, Post-Dispatch. (5)

ST. ANGE AV., 1310—Nice clean room, one or two gentlemen, with or without board. (7)

TAYLOR AV., 1104A N.—Front rooms for 4 gentlemen; bath, gas, hot water; $1.25 each; board optional.

VISTA AV., 4351—Room and board, for two gentlemen.

WASHINGTON AV., 4109—Two large rooms, 3 or 4 gentlemen, with board. (6)

WASHINGTON BL., 4271—Nicely furnished rooms, with board; second story. (5)

WASHINGTON BL., 4210—Large and small rooms; good table.

WASHINGTON AV., 2839—Choice second-floor front rooms; also other desirable rooms; good meals. Kinloch C1236. (6)

WASHINGTON BL., 4411—Rooms and first-class table board; southern cooking; telephone; references.

WASHINGTON AV., 2901—Furnished rooms, with board, $3.50 to $5 week; all conveniences; phone C999.

WEST BELLE PL., 4465—Bright rooms; excellent table; gentlemen or couple. Delmar 919. (4)

WEST BELLE PL., 4161—Large front room, with good board; gentlemen only. (4)

WEST BELLE PL., 4220—Nicely furnished rooms, with board; for couple or parties employed. (7)

WEST BELLE PL., 4064—Second-story front room; excellent table; very reasonable; employed preferred.

WEST BELLE PL., 4262—Large front room and board; all conveniences; southern exposure; terms reasonable.

WEST BELLE PL., 3936—Furnished rooms; excellent table; small family; reasonable rates; telephone; references exchanged.

WEST BELLE PL., 4419—Rooms, single or en suite; with or without housekeeping; board optional.

WEST BELLE PL., 4336—Nicely furnished second-story room; well heated; private family; gentlemen or ladies employed.

WESTMINSTER PL., 4069—Two beautifully furnished rooms, with board. (5)

WESTMINSTER PL., 4106—Elegant rooms, with board and bath; all modern conveniences. (6)

WESTMINSTER PL., 3700—Two nice, large rooms, with superior board; excellent location; reasonable; see them. (7)

WESTMINSTER PL., 3818—Nicely furnished second-floor front rooms for two; good board; private family.

WEST PINE BL., 3663—2 rooms in exclusive locality; fine table and service; reasonable. (7)

St. George Hotel, $2.50 a Week

3715 Olive; steam heat; hot water; free baths; special inducements to families or parties. (69)

HOUSES, ROOMS, ETC., WANTED.

14 Words, 20c

FLAT WANTED—Couple desires 5-room modern flat, good location; not exceeding $22. Ad. E 8, Post-Dispatch.

FLAT WANTED—3 or 4 unfurnished rooms, not to exceed $16, for 3 adults, near Delmar car lines. 5630 Delmar bl.

FLAT WANTED—By small family, 5 or 6 room upstairs flat, between Laclede, Easton, Grand and Taylor; best references. Ad. Y 113, P.-D.

FLAT WANTED—Or house, 6 or 7 rooms, in good neighborhood, to couple without children; permanent and careful tenant; rent not over $35. Ad. R., 907 Hickory st.; answer until May 9.

HOUSE WANTED—Four or 5 room house or flat; premanent; not over $20. Ad. F 110, P.-D.

HOUSE WANTED—Five or six room house, bath, southwestern part city. Ad. D 51, P.-D. (58)

HOUSE WANTED—8-room house between Sarah, Union, Page and Laclede av. Ad. F 145, Post-Dispatch. (7)

ROOM WANTED—Unfurnished room, for elderly lady; references exchanged. 2632 Morgan st.

ROOMS WANTED—Two furnished rooms in private family; in South Side. Ad. E 40, P.-D.

ROOMS WANTED—Respectable, large family wants 3 rooms, west of Broadway, south of Park. Ad. E 18, Post-Dispatch.

ROOMS WANTED—One large furnished or two small connecting rooms, by gent; state price per month. Ad. F 68, Post-Dispatch.

ROOMS WANTED—Nicely furnished rooms, private family; hot bath; first-class table; reasonable; phone. 3658 Cook.

ROOMS WANTED—Two unfurnished rooms; Vandeventer, Morgan or Olive; rent $8 month. Ad. B. D., 519 N. Vandeventer av.

ROOM WANTED—Gentleman and wife want 2d floor front room; not west of 3800; must be reasonable. Board. Ad. F 151, Post-Dispatch.

ROOMS WANTED—One large or two medium rooms, first floor, between Franklin and Cass av. and Broadway and Eighteenth sts. Ad. 910 N. 8th st.

ROOMS WANTED—An elderly couple, without children, desire to rent 2 or 3 unfurnished rooms on Laclede, Pine or Olive, not east of 28th st.; references exchanged; permanent if reasonable. Ad. F 104, Post-Dispatch. (5)

ROOMS AND BOARD WANTED.

14 Words, 20c

BOARD WANTED—A plain boarding place, by working girl, in South St. Louis. 3237 Texas.

BOARD WANTED—Room and board by two young men, in private family preferred; give price and full particulars. Ad. E 41, Post-Dispatch.

BOARD WANTED—Room and board by a refined emloyed young lady, in private family; location west of Grand, between Cook and Laclede avs.; terms reasonable. Ad. E 3, Post-Dispatch.

ROOM AND BOARD WANTED—Room with breakfast; vicinity of Lafayette Park preferred. Ad. F 26, Post-Dispatch.

ROOM AND BOARD WANTED—By a working man; private family preferred; please state terms. Ad. F 24, Post-Dispatch.

ROOM AND BOARD WANTED—Refined young lady wishes room and board in North St. Louis in private family; must be reasonable. Ad. E 27, Post-Dispatch.

ROOM AND BOARD WANTED—Young lady wishes room and board in private family, where she would be more for company than profit, or would pay reasonable price. Ad. E 28, Post-Dispatch.

MEALS WANTED.

Exchange dental work for meals; work guaranteed. Ad. E 25, Post-Dispatch.

FURNISHED HOUSES FOR RENT.

14 Words, 20c.

FURNISHED HOUSE—Would supply furniture to party of gentlemen who contemplate renting a 7-room house, also act as housekeeper. Ad. E 29, Post-Dispatch.

FURNISHED HOUSE—Central west; 8 rooms; modern conveniences; telephone; including fuel and water; with 5 good-paying boarders; $50 per month and board of owner. Ad. Y 3, Post-Dispatch.

FURNISHED FLATS FOR RENT

14 Words, 20c

FINNEY AV., 4101—Furnished flat, 4 rooms and bath. (4)

GREER AV., 4741—Two large rooms, furnished complete; all conveniences; gas range; to couple; reasonable.

NEWSTEAD AV., 1005 N. (corner of West Belle)—Three-room furnished flat; hot bath, gas range.

DWELLINGS FOR RENT.

14 Words, 20c

BLACKSTONE AV., 1436—7 rooms; $35. N. S. Wood, 915 Chestnut st.

CALIFORNIA AV., 1817—6 rooms, bath, $25. Hy. Hiemenz Realty Co. (8)

CARPENTER PL., 727—7 rooms, all conveniences; $35. Inquire 731 Carpenter. (4)

CLARK AV., 1230—11 rooms; $50. N. S. Wood, 915 Chestnut st.

GARRISON AV., 1341 N.—10-room house; gas, bath, hot and cold water, yard and stable; rent reduced to $40. (4)

GLADES AV., 6718—Modern 8-room frame dwelling; in good condition; furnace, decorated, etc.; key next door west. Vrooman & Co., 8½ N. 8th st. (8)

HOUSES—Five-room brick, with large garden, chicken yard and front lawn, with flowers; $16; inquire next door, W. D. Buchanan, 6639 Marmaduke av.; also a new 7-room brick and bath, one block from end of Tower Grove line; $25

KENSINGTON AV., 5129—10 rooms; furnace; $50. N. S. Wood, 915 Chestnut st.

McPHERSON AV., 4042—Elegant 8-room residence, $52.50. N. S. Wood, 915 Chestnut st.

MAPLE AV., 5711—12 rooms; strictly modern. Malcolm Macbeth, 915 Chestnut st. (8)

MORGAN ST., 3204—Eight rooms; porcelain bath, fixtures, newly decorated; very fine; $35. Howard Gambrill & Co., 917 Chestnut st.

OLIVE ST., 2009—12 rooms, bath, furnace. Henry Hiemenz Realty Co., 614 Chestnut st. (8)

PINE ST., 3414—10-room house, furnished, $50. Scott-Farrar, 715 Chestnut. (5)

STEWART PL., 1473—8 rooms; hot-water heat; $45. N. S. Wood, 915 Chestnut st.

WEST PINE BL., 4001—9-room house; newest improvements; best location; reasonable; will rent quick. Nicholls-Ritter.

FLATS FOR RENT.

14 Words, 20c

ANN AV., 2739A—6-room flat, newly decorated; bath, furnace, laundry. 1214 Park av.

BAYARD AV., 1362—Five-room flat; bath, gas, laundry; open; $20. Kin. Del. 158L.

BELL AV., 4614A—Flat, 3 rooms; key at 4614; $15. N. S. Wood, 915 Chestnut st.

BELT AV., 1376A—Second-floor flat, 5 beautiful light rooms; family without children; $30.

BELL AV., 4622A—Beautiful 4 and 5 room flats; new, modern, artistic; $28; janitor. (50)

BLAIR AV., 3113—Good 3-room flat; small family; rent reasonable to good tenant.

BOTANICAL AV., 3964—Flat, 6 rooms, newly decorated; key at 3907A Shenandoah av.; $32.50. N. S. Wood, 915 Chestnut st.

BOTANICAL AV., 4107—Beautiful flat; 5 large rooms; furnace, fixtures, screens; 100 feet from two car lines; will decorate throughout; $30, including care of lawn.

BROADWAY, 4333 N.—Three rooms; toilet; gas; water; plenty closets; good condition; $14.50.

CLARA AV., 1442A—Neat 5-room flat, with bath, etc.; $20. C. W. Barnes, 216 Wainwright bldg. (7)

CLARK AV., 3434—Five-room flat and stable; nice front and back yard. Inquire 403 Ewing.

COMPTON AV., 1112 S.—Three rooms, nicely decorated; no bath. Call room 421, 721 Olive. (4)

COMPTON AV., 1120 N.—Steam-heated flat, 6 rooms. W. J. Murphy & Son, 1023 Chestnut st. (8)

COOK AV., 4373—2d floor, 3 rooms, bath, $18. Henry Hiemenz Realty Co., 614 Chestnut. (8)

COTE BRILLIANTE AV., 5342—Four-room lower flat; all conveniences; street made.

DELMAR BL., 5040 to 5060—Modern 6-room apartments; ready for occupancy; decorated to suit; every convenience. Vrooman & Co., 8½ N. 8th st. (8)

DOLMAN ST., 1746—Four rooms and bath.

EASTON AV., 5509—Elegant 4-room flat, with bathroom, only $17; open. L. P. Baltinger, Fullerton bldg.

EVANS AV., 4024A—Furnished or unfurnished 3-room flat; bath, hot and cold water; furnace.

EVANS AV., 4562—Flat, 4 rooms and bath; new; $18. N. S. Wood, 915 Chestnut st.

FINNEY AV., 3894—Elegant 4-room flat; hot bath, etc.; only $22. L. P. Baltinger, Fullerton bldg.

FINNEY AV., 3948—$16, 3-room flat; gas fixtures; hall, bath, hot and cold water.

FLAT—Four-room flat, $15; 3 rooms, $10; in good condition. Apply 1437 N. 23d st. (90)

FLAT—Four rooms, $19; part of furniture for sale; West End; all conveniences. Ad. E 102, P.-D.

FLAT—Eight rooms, bath, furnace, screens, etc.; in most desirable part of West End; $50. Hunstock, 720 N. 4th st.

FLATS—Clara and Wells, southwest corner, 2 nice flats, lower and upper; 4 and 5 rooms and bath; high, large lot; $21 and $23. Apply 510 Pine st., room 403.

FOREST AV., 2021—Four rooms and bath, $16; Suburban car to Benton Station.

FRANKLIN AV., 1620—Elegant 4 rooms, newly papered, only $12; keys in store.

FRANKLIN AV., 3303—Three-room flat and bath; $14.

GARFIELD AV., 4542—4 rooms and bath, with conveniences, rent $18. Mississippi Valley Trust Co., 4th and Pine sts. (62)

HENRIETTA ST., 3534—2d-floor; 5 large, pretty rooms and bath. Henry Hiemenz Realty Co. (8)

HICKORY ST., 3142—Three large, light rooms.

LABADIE AV., 4705A—5-room flat, bath, hot and cold water; $22.50. A. H. Frederick, 612 Chestnut st. (4)

LACLEDE AV., 3800—Elegant modern flat, with bath, furnace, gas fixtures, etc. C. W. Barnes, 216 Wainwright bldg. (7)

LENOX AV., 6327—2 or 4 room flat, decorated, $14 per month; through Olive or Suburban car, one block north of Cates. (5)

MICHIGAN AV., 2912—Nice 3-room upper flat; 4 blocks east of Grand; reasonable; keys at corner grocery; take Tower car. Woolley & Fish, 715 Chestnut st.

PARK AV., 3003—Five rooms, bath, hot water, chandeliers.

PENN ST., 2067—Four rooms, bath, laundry; rent $20. Key 2712 S. 13th st. (62)

RIDGE AV., 6158—Four rooms, second floor; for small family; no children.

RUTGER ST., 2322A—Four rooms, hall room, bath and gas.

SHENANDOAH AV., 718—Three nice large rooms, second floor.

SHENANDOAH AV., 3903A—Modern 6 rooms; gas fixtures, screens, furnace, etc. Hunstock, 720 N. 4th st.

TWENTIETH ST., 3008 N.—Flat of 2 large rooms, $8. (5)

VANDEVENTER AV., 2409 N.—3-room flat, second floor, good repair; rent only $12.

WEST BELLE PL., 4157A—Seven rooms; newly papered; gas fixtures, screens, janitor; $35.

ROOMMATES WANTED.

14 Words, 20c

DELMAR BL., 3811—Elegantly furnished rooms; good board; also lady roommate wanted. (5)

ROOMMATE WANTED—Lady, in elegant second-story front; furnace heat; board if desired. 3440 Pine st.

HOTELS AND SELECT APARTMENTS

14 Words, 20c.

"THE BENTON," PINE ST.

Between 8th and 9th; gentlemen only; 50c, 75c, $1; cars direct to Union Station. (91)

SUBURBAN PROPERTY WANTED.

14 Words, 20c.

HOUSE WANTED—In Webster or locality, 7 or 8 room house, with modern conveniences; large yard; will rent or lease; will take April 1. Ad. F 150, Post-Dispatch.

SUBURBAN PROPERTY FOR RENT.

14 Words, 20c.

DWELLING—For rent, handsome 7-room dwelling in Ferguson. Large lot, fruit and shade trees; 6 minutes from steam and electric cars. To responsible party only. Dr. Case.

FARM—For rent, 114 acres, with house, outhouses, fruit trees, etc.; near Bircher and Union av. Apply 1731 Cora av.

FOR COLORED PEOPLE.

14 Words, 20c

ROOMS—Fourteen rooms, to one person, for colored people. Meager Realty Co., 9th and Chestnut st. (9)

TO LET FOR BUSINESS PURPOSES.

14 Words, 20c

BELL AV., 4600—Suitable for first-class butcher; cheap rent. Henry Hiemenz Realty Co., 614 Chestnut st. (8)

COMMERCIAL ST., 306 N.—Desirable building for store or warehouse, well lighted; power elevator. (8)

DESKROOM—Free; person steady use for office; good location. Ad. E 119, Post-Dispatch. (4)

FIFTEENTH ST., 103 N.—Store, 17x25 feet; $15. N. S. Wood, 915 Chestnut st.

FLOORS—Well-lighted floors, 1800 feet, $25; 3000 feet, $25; 5000 feet, $30. Warren, 200 N. 2d. (62)

STORE—Olive and Cardinal; fine new store; $18; 31st. st.; Scott & Farrar, 715 Chestnut st. (6)

WANTED FOR BUSINESS PURPOSES

14 Words, 20c

BAKERY WANTED—A place for bakery; must be only one in neighborhood; without fixtures; reply and give price. Ad. F 36, P.-D. (92)

DESK ROOM WANTED—With use of phones; state price. Ad. E 31, Post-Dispatch.

LOCATION WANTED—I am a barber looking for a location, don't care how far or where; have 3 in family; so rent is not so high. Ad. 1239 N. 20th st. (91)

SPACE WANTED—Small space, with power; suitable for blacksmith shop. Ad. Y 97, Post-Dis.

MACHINERY

14 words, 20c.

For Sale.

MACHINERY—For sale, soda water carbonator; also cooling tower and pumps; in good condition; cheap. John Ramming Machine Co., Main and Clark av. (8)

MACHINERY—For sale, all the machinery of a corn meal and feed mill. Also 15-horse power engine, at one-third cost; will sell separately in good order. Geo. Case, Ferguson.

MACHINERY—For sale, one 10,000-pound [illegible] metal pot, three [illegible] casting boxes, one [illegible] plate router, one 18-inch flat shaver, one [illegible] trimmer block, 70 feet of 10-inch smoke pipe, No. 14 iron. Apply to engineer, Post-Dispatch. (8)

PUMP, ETC.—For sale, steam pump and vertical 8-horsepower boiler; cheap. John M. [illegible], Old Orchard, Mo. (4)

WALLPAPER, CLEANING, ETC.

14 Words, 20c

AA1 ROOMS papered, $2 up; cleaned, 50c up. J. D. Horne, 2807 Wash st. (7)

GENERAL Compressed Air House-Cleaning Co., 2932 Olive st., 3 phones, best service in city. (8)

BUSINESS CHANCES.

14 Words, 20c

BUSINESS CHANCE—Wanted, party with capital to push or buy best medicine on market. 3502 Pine st. (92)

BUSINESS CHANCE—Corporations organized, $20; money loaned until stock sold. 604 Benoist bldg., 9th and Pine sts. (1)

BUSINESS CHANCE—Best hotel opportunity on Locust st.; established 12 years; rent $100; 40 rooms; I have cleared $20,000; investigate. 1804 Locust st.

BUSINESS CHANCE—$300 (with services) invested in stock reliable corporation owning absolutely dustproof axle, carries position guaranteeing $15 week and commission; stock will soon be worth $1000 share. Missouri Realty Co., 110 N. 9th st.

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BAKERS—Before commencing business see the Middleby Movable Brick Ovens. Wareroom at 216 Walnut st., St. Louis, Mo. (8)

MEN WANTED—To go into the cash grocery business under the Luyties system; must be willing to invest from $500 to $1000; we will furnish the fixtures if needed and otherwise assist those who are ambitious; any competent, industrious man can earn from $25 to $100 per week, and more. Why not have a business of your own and be your own boss? Write for our prospectus. Luyties, 6th and Franklin av., St. Louis, Mo. (92)

OLD GOLD, platinum, bought. Mound City Dental Co., 506 Olive st.

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PITTSBURG BANK FOR SAVINGS BUILDING,
PITTSBURG, PA. (8)

BUSINESS FOR SALE.

14 Words, 20c.

BOARDING HOUSE—For sale, select boarding house; 16 handsomely furnished rooms; full of paying people; will sell $350 cash, balance monthly; no agents. 2789 Locust st.

BUSINESS—For sale, dry goods and notion store; fine location; no jobbers. 3533 S. Broadway. (92)

BUSINESS—For sale, cigar, news, laundry branch and shelf groceries; low rent; price $175; sickness cause for selling. 1427 Monroe.

BUSINESS—For sale, small tailoring business; good place for live man; a bargain. 2303 Washington av.

CONFECTIONERY—Fine fixtures; forced sale; must be sold today; price $60; actually cost $250. See MISSOURI REALTY CO., 110 N. 9th st.

DRUG STORE—For sale, half-interest in drug store, owned by doctor; central West End. Ad. Y 180, Post-Dispatch.

ELECTRICAL BUSINESS—For sale, established and paying electrical business; reason for selling, in mfg. business; snap, so be quick. F. H. Peck, 516 N. Sarah. (5)

FURNISHING STORE—For sale, a well established ladies' and gents' furnishing store; good location; low rent; for sale at bargain. Ad. E 65, Post-Dispatch. (4)

GROCERY—For sale, grocery and meat market, doing good paying business; stock and invoice about $2500; leaving city; no agents. H. T. S., 1065 Hamilton av.

HARDWARE—For sale, small stock hardware, tinware and graniteware. 2028 College av. (7)

HOTEL—22 rooms; fine location; elegantly, newly furnished; low rent; price $850; easy terms. See MISSOURI REALTY CO., 110 N. 9th st.

HOTEL—Established 12 years; substantial brick; overcrowded good paying people; 40 rooms; rent $100; investigate; must change climate. 1804 Locust st.

HOTEL—3008 Lucas av.; 21 rooms; nicely furnished; best location in city; every convenience; price $850; $200 cash, balance from profits.

LUNCHROOM—For sale, first-class lunchroom, doing good paying business; best location in city. Ad. E 54, Post-Dispatch. (5)

LUNCHROOM—For sale, lunchroom; fine range, urn and all for $45; owner leaving city. 723 High st.

MEAT MARKET, ETC.—For sale, meat market and grocery. 612 S. Broadway. (4)

MILLINERY STORE—For sale or exchange, established, fine, up-to-date millinery store for city real estate. Ad. B 34, Post-Dispatch. (92)

MILLINERY STORE—In western Missouri town of 12,000 inhabitants; doing $300 to $600 monthly business; rent $10, 3 rooms; price $2000, or invoice or exchange for good, improved farm. MORGAN & PRICHARD, 909 Chestnut st. (5)

MILLINERY STORE—In western Missouri town of 12,000 inhabitants; doing $300 to $600 monthly business; rent $10; 3 rooms; price $2000, or invoice or exchange for good improved farm. MORGAN & PRICHARD, 909 Chestnut st. (5)

POOLROOM—For sale, 3-table poolroom; sell on account of poor health. Ad. F 109, P.-D. (92)

RESTAURANT—For sale, restaurant, cheap; good business; no agent; investigate. 3164½ Easton.

RESTAURANT—For sale; four years established; especially first-class dinner trade; good reason for selling. Ad. E 15, Post-Dispatch.

RESTAURANT—For sale, restaurant building and contents, all at $100. Take Market st. car. 1137 Tamm av.

RESTAURANT—For sale, Home Restaurant, 3046 Olive; nice cooking; completely furnished, linen, National cash register, fans, 8-hole range; good trade; small cash price.

RESTAURANT—For sale, restaurant, now paying $100 month; old established place; stock and outfit worth $600; rent paid to April 1; money maker from start; price about $450. Ad. F 147, Post-Dispatch. (7)

ROOMING HOUSE—For sale, 10 rooms, nicely furnished; rent paid to April. 1505 Pine st. (60)

ROOMING HOUSE—3406 Laclede; best rooming district in city; 8 rooms; newly furnished; rent $32.50; $50 down, balance suitable payments.

ROOMING HOUSE—For sale, rooming house; men roomers; 13 rooms, new furniture, brick stable; rent, $42; sacrifice price today. Going to Portland. 1408 Pine st.

ROOMING HOUSE—Very best location in city; elegant furnishings; you should always clear $100 month here; owner compelled to sacrifice; your own terms. MISSOURI REALTY CO., 110 N. 9th st.

ROOMING HOUSE—Lawton; choice location; rent $35; income $87 month; owner has other business; gas and coal ranges; furniture and carpets new; something nice, clean and good, for $275. MORGAN & PRICHARD, 909 Chestnut. (5)

ROOMING HOUSE—At sacrifice; $250; cost $1000; brandnew furnishings; Brussels carpets, fancy iron beds; willing to sell; small cash payment as balance as made; fine corner house; everything strictly elegant; rooms light and desirable. 3230 Lucas av.

ROOMING HOUSE—For sale, rooming house; Lawton; choice location; rent $35; income $887 month; owner has other business; gas and coal ranges; furniture and carpets new; something nice, clean and good, for $275. MORGAN & PRICHARD, 909 Chestnut st. (5)

SACRIFICE—40-room hotel; steam heated; rent $100 month; price $1200. 903 N. 6th st. (8)

SALOON—S. Jefferson av.; income $40 day; owner will stand for any investigation purchaser desires to make; price $2000; best reasons selling. MISSOURI REALTY CO., 110 N. 9th st.

WILL give you nice, clean, high-toned mail-order business for $50; conduct in spare moments. DELBRIDGE CO., 104 N. 8th st. (6)

BUSINESS WANTED.

14 Words, 20c

MACHINE SHOP WANTED—To rent, small machine shop; state fully first letter, equipment, location, price; may buy. Ad. E 165, P.-D. (4)

WE REPAIR ON CREDIT old parlor suits, couches, etc., made like new, on easy monthly or weekly terms; drop us a postal and our man will call and give you a figure. The Only McNichols, 1024 Market st. (7)

WILL tar-paper roofs and furnish material for $2.25 per 100 square feet. Ad. F 108, P.-D.

WE CAN SELL YOUR BUSINESS.

No matter where it is located. This is the age of specialists. We are the only exclusive "Business Brokers" in the country. We have the buyers—what have you to offer them? We bring buyer and seller together and make quick sales.

ROBT. M. EURICH & CO.,
PITTSBURG BANK FOR SAVINGS BUILDING,
PITTSBURG, PA. (8)

ATTORNEYS AT LAW

14 Words, 20c

CENTRAL Law Bureau, 615 Pine st., conducts a general law business; all cases handled by experienced lawyers; consultation free. (8)

DIVORCES promptly secured by experienced attorney in general practice. 821 Chestnut st., room 312. (8)

DIVORCE, damage cases, probate matters attended to faithfully; consultation free. 1023 Chestnut st. (8)

DOES ANY ONE OWE YOU MONEY?

We quickly collect wages, notes, rents, board bills, claims of every description on percentage; no collection, no pay.

THE MISSOURI COLLECTION AGENCY,
Kinloch A1171 617 Century bldg. (8)

HOUSEHOLD GOODS FOR SALE.

14 words, 20c.

BEDROOM SET, ETC.—For sale, bedroom set, wardrobe, writing desk, baseburner, Wilson heater. 922 N. Theresa av.

BEDROOM SUIT, ETC.—For sale, bedroom suit, Home Comfort range, laundry stove, 3-piece parlor set, all in good condition; no dealers. 3844 Hartford st.

CARPETS, ETC.—For sale, carload of misfit carpets, rugs, linoleums, stoves and ranges, left for storage; will sell at any price. 1406 Franklin av. (4)

FOLDING BEDS—For sale, two upright folding beds, good condition and reasonable. 3613 Evans av.

FURNITURE—For sale, cheap. 4333 Olive st.

FURNITURE—For sale, the contents of 4 bedrooms; five cots, three Wilson heaters. 3655 Laclede av. (2)

FURNITURE—For sale, dresser, $6; iron bed complete, $4; gas range, $6; other furniture. 4219 West Belle.

FURNITURE—For sale, oak bedroom set, folding bed with mirror, refrigerator, dining chairs, walnut bed, gas range. 3516 Cass av.

FURNITURE—For sale, elegant pier glass oak dining room set, oak hall tree, rockers, gas fixtures, range, baseburner and other household goods. 1729 Ohio av.

FURNITURE—For sale, furniture for a 4 to 6 room house; good 6-hole range, Garland heater, dishes, kitchen utensils, everything that is needed; will sacrifice for $75; part down; balance monthly payment. Morgan & Pritchard, 909 Chestnut st. (5)

FURNITURE—For sale, furniture for a 4 to 6 room house; good 6-hole range, Garland heater, dishes, kitchen utensils; everything that is needed; will sacrifice for $75; part down, balance monthly payments. MORGAN & PRICHARD, 909 Chestnut st. (5)

FURNITURE, ETC.—Leaving city; must sacrifice the contents of a beautifully furnished home, consisting of library and parlor furniture, bedroom set, dining room outfit, handsome rugs, lace curtains and portieres; other furniture. 3615 Laclede av. (5)

GAS RANGE—For sale, cheap, gas range, only used 3 months. 5127A Page.

HOUSEHOLD GOODS—For sale, furniture, stoves, carpets, piano, etc; 6 rooms; $250 cash. Ad. E 87, Post-Dispatch. (7)

HOUSEHOLD GOODS WANTED—All kinds of household goods, carpets, feathers, pianos, contents of houses, lots in storage, bought. Wolf, 1415 Park av., phone A1600.

HOUSEHOLD GOODS—The contents of a 12-room private residence, consisting of fine bedroom suits, elegant rugs, carpets, dressers, wardrobes, beds, hair and felt mattresses, library bric-a-brac, fine dishes, pictures, all cooking utensils, in fact everything pertaining to a first-class home, will be sold all or any part; owner must leave city. 3408 Lindell. (7)

RANGE—For sale, New Process gas range; $12; 3706 Olive.

RANGE—For sale, a Majestic gas range. 3708 Cook av.

STOVES, ETC.—For sale, kitchen and heating stoves and kitchen safe. 1507 Benton st.

40c ON DOLLAR.

Just closed a deal with large furniture house, which carried one of the nicest lines of bedroom suits, parlor suits, drug suits, rugs, carpets, tables, chairs, old dressers, chiffoniers, etc.; this stock is brand new; will offer same for sale at 40c on the dollar the coming week; if you are in need of anything in this line call at once and get a big bargain; goods must be seen to be appreciated; credit given if desired.

FRANKLIN FURNITURE HOUSE,
1017 Franklin av. (62)

FURNITURE AND CARPET BARGAINS

We have just put on sale the entire contents of a finely furnished 15-room house, consisting of a fine lot of dressers, iron beds, folding beds, wardrobes, parlor pieces, dining room outfit, range, sewing machines, room rugs, piano, chairs, rockers, bedding, etc. You will find some rare bargains in this lot; also a full line of new furniture, carpets and rugs that we can save you considerable money on. We are out of the high rent district.

LANGAN STORAGE CO.,
Salesroom, 1001 Morgan st. (4)

SAMPLE FURNITURE

FRESH FROM FACTORY.

We have just received from GRAND RAPIDS, MICH., 10 cars of sample and close-out furniture, that we will sell for about one-half the regular retail price. Will quote you a few of our many bargains:

$ 5.00	Iron Beds, colonial posts, our price	$ 1 75
25.00	mahog. and oak dressers, our price	13 85
12.00	extension tables, round and square, our price	7 50
15.00	folding beds, our price	9 85
25.00	brass beds, swell footboards; our price	15 00
10.00	chiffoniers, golden oak; our price	5 00
3.50	leather-seat chairs, our price	2 50
1.50	cane-seat rockers, our price	50
3.00	mahogany and oak center tables, our price	1 45
25.00	glass china closets; our price	17 50
80.00	leather couches, steel construction; our price	19 50
25.00	leather upholstered parlor sets; our price	15 00
80.00	sideboards, large and massive; our price	17 50
15.00	Morris chairs; our price	7 50
15.00	Brussels rugs, room-size; our price	9 85
25.00	velvet rugs, room-size; our price	19 50
30.00	Axminster rugs, room-size; our price	22 50

Do not fail to attend this sale of high-grade furniture, as we can save you money on every piece you buy; we carry a complete line of house furnishing goods and make a specialty of furnishing houses complete.

LANGAN & TAYLOR S. AND M. CO.,
1823 Washington av. (56)

MONEY SAVING SALE

Of furniture, rugs, carpets and office furniture from the Planters' Hotel, the Inside Inn and Bagley-Richards Mercantile Co. The Planters' Hotel is refurnishing and we have their splendid furniture and carpets for sale. The Bagley-Richards Mercantile Co., is discontinuing business and we have all their office furniture for sale this week.

Planters' Hotel carpets, finest Axminster; cost $2 and $2.50 per yard; some 9x12; for	$7 50
Dressers, worth $40	18 75
Dressers, French plate mirrors	4 75
Mattresses; a $15 guaranteed elastic felt mattress that you can return at any time within 60 days if unsatisfactory	5 95
Felt top mattresses, worth $5	1 75
Towels, perfect condition	02
Good blankets, per pair	50
Sheets, full size, extra quality	25
Bath towels, splendid quality, per dozen	1 00
Brass beds, very elegant	15 00
Iron beds, worth $7.50	2 75
Roll top desks, solid oak	11 50
Typewriter cabinets, solid oak	4 00
Office chairs, swivel base, up from	2 00
Odd chairs, a lot, no two alike	50
Parlor rockers, an odd lot, worth $5	1 50
Lace curtains, all qualities, up from	50
Pillows, 6 pounds, fine feathers, pair	85
Parlor tables, polished oak	50
Mission rockers, leather seats, solid oak	5 00

There are hundreds of other equal bargains. We have the contents of the Planters' Hotel, Inside Inn and dozens of other hotels and private residences, as well as bankrupt and fire stocks of new goods, all for salvage sale. You can save money by buying from us. Open until 9 Saturday.

WESTERN SALVAGE CO., 2004 Morgan st. (55)

Furnished Houses and Flats for Sale.

FURNITURE, ETC.—For sale, Chickering piano and furniture of 5-room flat; cheap. 2937A Easton.

FURNISHED FLAT—For sale, furniture of four-room flat, complete for housekeeping. 2848A Franklin av.

FURNISHED FLAT—For sale, contents of 4-room flat, new furniture, reasonable if sold promptly. Call at 3889 Easton av. (6)

FURNISHED HOUSE—For sale, 6 neatly furnished rooms, $150; house to let. 3313 Laclede av.

FURNISHED FLAT—For sale, furniture of 5-room flat; bargain; stone front, separate entrance and porch; flat rent very reasonable. 1372 Union av.; telephone Forest 3003M. (5)

FURNISHED FLAT—For rent or sale, beautifully furnished 8-room flat, steam heat, all conveniences; leaving city on account of sickness. 4300A Maryland av., telephone 2509 Lindell. (5)

HOUSEHOLD GOODS WANTED.

14 Words, 20c

ABSOLUTELY best prices paid for household goods. Dickson, 2944 Washington av.; phone B1369. (8)

ALL kinds of household goods bought. Jones & Co., 4143 Olive; C742; Beaumont 128. (8)

ALL kinds of furniture, carpets, stoves; highest prices; send postal. Bensinger, 2109 Franklin av. Kinloch telephone 2158C. (14)

ALL kinds of household goods; highest prices; postal. Bensinger, 756 Walton. 1702 Franklin av. Phone B1841. (14)

FEATHERS WANTED—Full value paid; honest dealing. George Speelman, 1820 Wash st. Send postal. (4)

FURNITURE WANTED—Furniture to furnish 8 to 12 rooms complete; must be cheap; cash price. Ad. E 149, Post-Dispatch. (5)

FURNITURE WANTED—to buy household goods in any quantity; will send man to give estimate. Phones D231 and Beaumont 399. Western Salvage Co., 2004 Morgan. (8)

WANTED—We pay highest prices for household furniture, stock in stores; also entire contents of flats and residences; don't sell until you see us; send postal. Leonori Auction Co., 1219 Olive st. (8)

WE buy furniture, carpets and feathers; send postal or phone C98. Lasky, 1406 Franklin av. (8)

HORSES AND VEHICLES

14 Words, 20c

Wanted.

HORSE WANTED—Pony or small horse; must be gentle and not afraid of cars. 1022 Armstrong av.

For Sale.

ALWAYS ON HAND—From 75 to 100 head of mules, draft, driving and general purpose horses, wagons of all kinds; buggies and harness; you can try horses before buying; must be as represented; cash or easy payments. S. L. House, 1515 N. Broadway and 4472 Clayton. (8)

BUGGY—For sale, handsome Stanhope spider; used only 5 months; leaving city. Ad. F 31, Post-Dispatch. (92)

CART, ETC.—For sale, one dumpcart and harness, wagon, cheap, if taken at once. Call Mrs. Berger, Main and Lynch.

HORSE—For sale, good horse, cheap. Call 3424 Clark av.

HORSES, ETC.—For sale, 8 work horses and mules, $30 up, at coal yard. 2684 Morgan.

HORSES, ETC.—For sale, two horses, 4 and 7 years old; peddler wagon; cheap. 3129 Caroline.

HORSES, ETC.—For sale, cheap, 5 good work horses, two 2-horse delivery wagons. 2713 Chouteau av.

HORSE, ETC.—For sale, trustee's sale, horse, harness and light delivery wagon; fine condition. Apply 514 N. 3d st.

HORSES, ETC.—For sale, 10 large draft horses, 10 farm horses, 3 stake wagons, 5 sets of single and double harness. 918 N. Broadway.

HORSES, ETC.—For sale, big horse, 1 delivery horse, small unbroke mare, farm team, 1-horse coal wagon, small 2-horse stake wagon; must be sold. 1113 Cass av.

MARES—For sale, 4 farm mares, in foal, nice driving mare. 1621 Franklin.

MARES—For sale, team draft mares, 3200 lbs.; team farm mares, work horse, $25. 1210 N. Jefferson.

MARE—For sale, cheap, one standard bred bay mare; 15 1-3; trot in 2:30; very handsome; city broke for lady to drive; can be seen at James Hardy's livery stable, 4529 Delmar bl.

PEDDLER'S OUTFIT—For sale, peddler's outfit and delivery horse. Inquire 3220 Chouteau av.

STABLE—For sale, brick stable and living room, team carriage or automobile. 3868 Delmar.

WAGON—For sale, good delivery wagon; call between 5 and 6 p. m. Nat L. McGuire, 3110 N. 11th st.

WAGONS, ETC.—For sale, storm buggies, grocer, baker, butcher, laundry, milk, peddler, tailor, plumber, carpenter, painter, express, caterer, advertising coffee and tea wagons. John Tobinka, 1400 N. 7th st. (8)

Automobiles.

EXPERTS agree that "friction drive" is the only ideal way to build an auto. See us before you buy the old style "spurr-geared" car. Union Auto Co., 309 Frisco bldg. (8)

ANIMALS.

14 Words, 20c

DOG—For sale, 1-year-old St. Bernard dog. 4217 Cottage av. (4)

DOG—For sale, a thoroughbred Scotch collie, 8 weeks old; price $5. Call at grocery store, Elliot and Cass.

PUPPIES—For sale, pedigreed female Yorkshire terrier puppies. Apply 4740A Olive st.

POULTRY AND BIRDS.

14 Words, 20c

CHICKENS WANTED—Tested black ruff chickens at once. Ad. A. H. B., 214 Franklin.

INCUBATOR WANTED—And brooder. 4461 West Pine bl.

SEWING MACHINES.

14 words, 20c.

BUY the light-running New Home direct at city office. 1208 Franklin av. Kinloch D972. (6)

GREAT bargains this week; 25 drophead Singer sewing machines, only $17.50 up; guaranteed. 1210 Franklin av. Kinloch D972. (6)

SEWING MACHINES WANTED—To repair; the price is $1; 30 years' experience. F. & W. Minges, 1525 S. Broadway. (92)

SEWING MACHINES—For sale, 25 drophead machines; different makes; $15 and $18. F. & W. Minges, 1525 S. Broadway. (92)

SEWING MACHINES—For sale, 50 good high-arm machines of all makes, $2 up; guaranteed. New York Sewing Machine Co., 1210 Franklin av.; Kinloch D972. (6)

SEWING MACHINES—For sale, 2 genuine Wilcox & Gibbs automatic machines, new, $35 each. F. & W. Minges, 1525 S. Broadway. (92)

TAILOR MACHINE—For sale, Singer tailor machine, $12. F. & W. Minges, 1525 S. Broadway. (92)

WE REPAIR any sewing machine for $1; guaranteed 2 years. New Home Sewing Machine, city office, 1208 Franklin; Kinloch D972. (6)

MEDICAL.

14 Words, 20c.

LADIES, use Dr. La Franco's Compound; safe, speedy regulator, 25c; druggists or mail; booklet and testimonials free. Dr. La Franco, Philadelphia, Pa. (69)

LADIES—Use Chichester's English Pennyroyal Pills. Best! Safest! Only reliable! Take no other. Buy of your druggist or send 4c stamps for particulars and "Relief to Ladies" in letters by return mail. Chichester Chemical Co., Philadelphia, Pa. (62)

STOCKS AND BONDS.

14 Words, 20c.

BONDS—For sale, 8 Colonial security bonds; $325 paid in; gilt-edge; make offer. Ad. by letter only. G, 1801 Chouteau av.

TO EXCHANGE.

14 Words, 20c.

FOR EXCHANGE—Automobile, cost $750, what have you? Would pay difference in cash. 1514 Chemical bldg. (7)

PIANO WANTED—For exchange, rent of flat, dwelling or suburban residence, for piano or offers. Ad. Y 186, Post-Dispatch.

DANCING

14 Words, 20c.

A GOOD SCHOOL TO JOIN: Prof. Richards guarantees waltz, two-step and all dances for $3; entire term; come as long as you like and come in any time and start. School, 1210 Olive st. (5)

A GOOD SCHOOL to join. Prof. Richards teaches waltz, two-step and square dances for $3, entire term; private lessons, with music; come as long as you like; come in any time and start; you meet with the best class of people at my school; no saloon connected. 1210 Olive st. (5)

DANCING—Spring term this (Thursday) evening. Prof. and Mrs. Parke, Military Hall, 12th and North Market.

DANCING—Join Prof. Frankel's dancing classes Friday evening, March 11: separate hall for beginners; full term $3; elegant hall. Academy, 1441 Chouteau av. (5)

ECLIPSE DANCING ACADEMY, Uhrig's Cave Hall, Washington and Jefferson avs.; parties Wednesday and Saturday evening, Sunday afternoon and evening; lessons Tuesday and Friday evenings; Harmonie Hall, 18th and Olive sts., parties Thursday and Saturday and Sunday evening; lessons Monday evening; all late dances and new music. Ahern & Albers. (8)

FOR a good time attend the cap party at Lemp's Hall next Saturday night, March 11. H. Bachmann & Sons, proprietors. (5)

MRS. HARDY-GRANT'S beginners' class, Monday evenings; private lessons with music, by appointment; Cabanne Arcade; Suburban Park car. (92)

NATIONAL DANCING ACADEMY, 1302 Olive st. —Join the leading school; Prof. and Mrs. Behensky guarantees waltz, two-step, schottische, lanciers, waltz-lanciers, grand-square for $3; also stage dancing taught; Spanish, skirt, clog, buck and wing; lessons every night; private lessons any hour, with music, from 9 a. m. to 11 p. m.; no saloon connected. (62)

PROF. DE HONEY'S new academy, 3896 Olive; classes now open for beginners at reduced rates; (private lessons given); select dancing, informal, every Thursday evening; if you wish to attend a first-class school, where you will meet with respectable people and learn from the leading teacher, call at once; catalogue mailed. Kinloch 2915 Delmar. (6)

STEAM CARPET CLEANING.

14 Words, 20c

AMERICAN Steam Carpet Cleaning Co.—Carpets cleaned and renovated; made over and laid; lowest prices. Phone Beaumont 946, D70. 19th and Pine sts. (8)

CHICAGO Steam Carpet Cleaning Co., W. N. McCourtney, manager. Carpets renovated to look like new; Lindell 2030, Kinloch Delmar 2451. 3820 Finney av. (8)

EMPIRE Steam Carpet Cleaning Co.; carpets taken up, cleaned, made over and laid; lowest prices. 2123 Lucas av.; Beaumont 220, Kinloch C966. (8)

COMPRESSED AIR CLEANING

Carpets and everything cleaned at your own home without removal, or at our plant. Best and quickest service in the city. Dustless method. Telephone us and our agent will call and give estimate. Both phones. General Compressed Air House Cleaning Co., 3933 Olive st. (8)

AUCTION SALES.

14 Words, 20c.

CASH paid for complete jewelry stores. L. Bienenkrahn & Co., 812 Franklin av. (8)

PERSONAL.

14 Words, 30c.

Business Announcements, 25c a line.

PERSONAL—Agness C.: Want your address. Charlie, general delivery.

PERSONAL—Josephine V. Turner: Get letter in general delivery. Joe Turner.

PERSONAL—$50 reward for addresses of Mrs. Rosie Bently, Rosie Sandberg and Rosie Brown. M. B., 1437 Wright st. (5)

PERSONAL—Divorces quickly secured by reliable attorney; easy terms; confidential. 714 Chestnut st., 2d floor. (3)

PERSONAL—Detective (expert) does investigating and shadowing; absolute secrecy; best references. P. O. Box 856, St. Louis. (8)

PERSONAL—Wanted, information or address of Mrs. Rebecah Coffman, maiden name Ellenwood, by niece, Mrs. Ida Butler, 233 Illinois av., Granite City, Ill.

PERSONAL—Any person of good intentions in St. Louis who wants to wear a diamond and pay for it out of their earnings in small monthly payments, is invited to call and talk with one of our salesmen. We require no security and create no publicity. Every sale is a matter of personal, confidential honor between ourselves. We deliver diamonds and watches at once and arrange the payments to suit your convenience. Prices are lower now than they will ever be again—there is a 20 per cent advance coming this year beyond a doubt. Come in and see our goods and hear our interesting proposition. Open until 6:30 daily; Saturdays until 10 p. m.

LOFTIS BROS. & CO.,
Diamond Cutters and Manufacturing Jewelers,
2d Floor Carleton bldg., 308 N. Sixth st.
Winners of the highest award at the Exposition. (6)

MATRIMONIAL.

14 Words, 30c.

Business Announcements, 25c a line.

MATRIMONY—Young man wishes to meet working girl; object, matrimony. Ad. E 46, P.-D.

ADOPTION.

14 Words, 20c

FOR ADOPTION—Someone to adopt a blue-eyed baby girl. 1016 N. Jefferson av.

PERSONAL SUNDRIES

14 Words, 30c.

DR. SMITH, 3043 EASTON AV.

Seclusion before and during confinement; terms reasonable; satisfaction or money refunded. Both phones. (8)

ERGO TANSO is guaranteed to relieve suppression; $2 box. Dr. Caseaux, 2902 Washington. (8)

LADIES—Save time and money by calling at 2929 Franklin av.; hours 9 to 12 a. m. (8)

LADIES in need use our sure remedy; trial free. Paris Chemical Co., Milwaukee Wis. (61)

LADIES—My regulator never fails; one complete treatment free. Mrs. E. Starr, 2929 Franklin. (8)

LADIES will not regret calling on Mrs. Holland; lowest terms; confinements taken. 1715 Carr. (8)

MISS DURANT, electric vapor baths, Benoist bldg., 9th and Pine, room 313. Open evenings. (3)

MRS. M. MEYERS will be pleased to meet her patients; no medicine. 112 S. 14th st.; phone C259. (8)

Mrs. Warrance and Madge Grayme

Private home; confinements, $10; adoption if desired; perfect seclusion; irregularities treated; physician in attendance; part pay in work; ladies, call or write 2901 Franklin; phone 1207C. (8)

MRS. M. DIEHL, 1006 N. Jefferson av., receives confinements and adoption; part payment taken in work. (8)

MRS. BRIDGES, lady doctor; office hours, 1 to 5, except Wednesday and Sunday. 3505 Laclede av., Bell Lindell 95. (8)

MRS. A. SCHROEDER receives confinements; ladies call. 2907 Franklin av.; Kin. C1349. (8)

PRIVATE TROUBLES, weakness, etc., either sex, quickly cured; one treatment free. 107A N. 9th st. (16)

PRIVATE sanitarium for ladies; perfect seclusion; home comforts; trained nurses; lowest terms; ladies, call or write; removed from 2848 Lafayette to 2816 Accomac, near California; take Tower Grove, Compton cars; telephone Sidney 187M. (8)

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DR. De MYER

Ladies' home, 919 Olive st., specialist for female troubles. Call or write. (7)

A DETECTIVE (private) does shadowing and investigating; references. P. O. box 770, St. Louis; phones C2199; Bell Main 4674M. (8)

DR. ARTHUR'S gold seal female regulator; price, $2 a box. 2631 Washington av. (8)

Doctor Dennis, 2639 Washington,

Regular licensed physician, successfully treats all female troubles; the most reliable sanitarium for confinements in this city; perfect seclusion and kind treatment; trained nurses; adoption if desired; lowest terms; 23 years' experience. (3)

DOCTOR HOGAN, 2215 OLIVE,

Medical and surgical diseases of women a specialty. Regular licensed home.

Patients received at any time before and during confinement; adoption if desired; trained nurses; home comforts; ladies, call or write; confidential; terms reasonable. St. Louis. (8)

DR. ANNIE NEWLAND

Confinements; trained nursing; elegant accommodations; adoption if desired; only private, reliable, secluded, licensed home, where you will receive good treatment and motherly care, with all home comforts; perfect satisfaction guaranteed. Ladies, call or write; confidential. 2331A Olive st. (8)

DR. MARY ARTHUR

Private home for ladies during confinement; adoption if desired; 20 years' experience; trained nurses; lowest terms; elegant accommodations; ladies, when needing a specialist call or write; 2631 Washington av. (8)

STORE, BAR AND OTHER FIXTURES

14 Words, 20c

FIXTURES—For sale, at Canada building, store and office fixtures, counters, show cases, etc. Louisiana Purchase Trading Co.

STORAGE AND MOVING.

14 words, 20c.

ABSOLUTE care given moving, packing, storage furniture, pianos. Eureka Storage Co., Lyons, 3014 Chouteau av.; Victor 247; Grand 385M. (14x)

ABSOLUTELY FIREPROOF STORAGE — New warehouse, Grand and Laclede; for safekeeping furniture, pianos, valuables, trunks, boxes, etc., first-class moving, packing, shipping, etc.; money advanced; get our prices; both telephones.

R. U. LEONORI AUCTION & STORAGE CO.,
1219-21 Olive st. (8)

AMERICAN STORAGE AND MOVING CO., 2315 Olive st.; moving, packing, shipping, storing; separate rooms; both phones. W. H. Lansdale, president. (8)

BONDED warehouse. Star Furniture and Storage Co., 1512-1516 Franklin av.; money advanced when desired. Kinloch C963. (8)

BONDED warehouse. Stocker & Price Storage and Moving Co., 2009 Morgan st. Furniture taken in exchange for moving. Phones Beaumont 685A and D2071. (8)

HANNAN & SON, furniture packers; cut glass, bric-a-brac, moving and shipping; phone C1699. (7)

SOUTH SIDE STORAGE AND MOVING CO., 1901-1906 Sidney; tel. Sidney 235. Kin. Victor 607. (8)

LANGAN & TAYLOR
STORAGE AND MOVING CO.

New warehouse, 1823 Washington av.; 500 private rooms for storage; mothproof carpet room; cheapest insurance in the city; you have access to your clothes at any time; all moving, packing and shipping guaranteed; money advanced; established 1880. Ring up C741 or Main 2635 and get our rates. We have no branches. (56)

CLAIRVOYANTS.

14 Words, 30c.

MME. NEWW, greatest fortune teller in the world, brings separated together; sells lucky charms; removes evil influences. 1336 Franklin av. (62)

MME. REYNOLDS, clairvoyant and palmist; gives advice, business and love; German spoken. 820 N. 22d st.

MRS. CUNNINGHAM, clairvoyant and card reading, 25c. 2218 Carr st., J. P. write quick. (4)

MME. ANNA, the best-known fortune teller of the West; 328 Market st.; established 1851.

SUBURBAN PROPERTY FOR SALE.

14 Words, 20c.

HOUSES—For sale; suburban houses and lots a specialty. Al T. Smith, Old Orchard, Mo. (8)

HOUSE—For sale, 7-room house; completed April 1; $2300; easy terms. 202 Mermod-Jaccard bldg.

LAND—For sale, 5 acres in town of Eureka, Mo.; strong indications of oil; price $2000. James K. Roques. (5)

HOUSE—For sale, $3300; $300 down; 7-room house, on Newport, in Old Orchard. See
AL T. SMITH, Old Orchard, Mo. (4)

HOUSE—For sale, fine 8-room house and outbuildings; lot 200x246; beautiful location, near Frisco depot, Webster Groves; bargain at $4750. Ad. E 152, Post-Dispatch. (4)

HOUSES, ETC.—I have a 7, 8 and 15 room house in Ferguson for sale at a bargain, with from half to 30 acres; shade, fruit and water in abundance; near cars. Geo. Case.

HOUSE—For sale, $3300, $300 down; 7-room house on Newport, in Old Orchard. See Al. T. Smith, Old Orchard, Mo. (4)

LOANS ON PERSONAL PROPERTY.

14 Words, 25c.

MONEY! MONEY!

LOANED on your FURNITURE, PIANOS, ETC., without removing the goods. Don't borrow from friends and embarrass yourself. COME TO US. Our NEW method gives you LOWER rates and longer time. You get the full amount applied for in CASH (no checks). Payments can be arranged to suit your own convenience. If paid before due, we allow a liberal cash DISCOUNT.

WE ALSO loan money on your plain note; no indorser; without the knowledge of your friends or employer, if you hold a steady position.

SPECIAL RATES made to teachers of the public schools on their personal note. Absolute privacy assured. Call, write or telephone Kinloch C1567.

ST. LOUIS INVESTMENT CO.
ROOM 1118 MISSOURI TRUST BLDG.,
ENTRANCE, 705 OLIVE ST. (14)

LOANS! LOANS LOANS

WE MAKE LOANS of $10 to $200 on FURNITURE and PIANOS, at ONE-FOURTH WHAT OTHERS CHARGE. We have a surplus of money on hand, and we are making GREATLY REDUCED RATES.

$1.25 weekly pays a $75 loan.
$1.00 weekly pays a $50 loan.
50c weekly pays a $25 loan.
40c weekly pays a $15 loan.

You can pay monthly if you wish. Your payments will be EXTENDED in CASE of SICKNESS or OUT OF WORK. Your loan will be strictly private. You get the MONEY IMMEDIATELY. We will make you CHEAPER RATES and BETTER TERMS than you can get elsewhere. A call will convince you that we save you money on loans. Kinloch C1274.

AMERICAN LOAN CO.,
615 Burlington bldg., 810 Olive st.
Take elevator to sixth floor. (14)

Money Advanced Salaried People.

Teamsters, boarding house keepers, without security; easy terms; largest business in 50 principal cities. Tolman, 501 Houser bldg., 509 Chestnut. (8)

WHEN YOU WANT A LOAN

ON YOUR FURNITURE OR PIANOS, ETC., Without removal or delay, payable to suit your convenience, write or call. Notary public.

JAMES E. BAKER, JR.,
Phone Main 3057 or D531, suite 509-10 Missouri Trust bldg., 7th and Olive sts. (8)

SECURITY FINANCE CO.,
Loans at low interest, secured in life policies and household goods; confidential. Room 2, 3d floor, Equitable bldg. (8)

DRAKE'S EASY MONEY

Advanced salaried people; my rates the lowest; best and most private in the city. Call at 322-3-4 Chemical bldg. (8)

MONEY loaned to salaried people without security. D. Lanzet, 309 Benoist bldg., 9th and Pine sts. (8)

LOANS AT 5 PER CENT

Quit paying away your wages in high interest when you can borrow money from us at 5 per cent. Loans on household goods, pianos, salaries, etc., leaving goods in your possession; no publicity. Pay at your convenience. Time extended in case of sickness; no extra charge. Call, write or telephone Kinloch A632.

UNION FINANCE CO.,
Rooms 302-303 Oriel bldg., southeast cor. 6th and Locust. Entrance 316 N. 6th, opposite Barr's. (14)

SALARIES ADVANCED.

It's easy to get money from us on your salary, no other security necessary; and it's cheap, cheaper than any other company will offer you. Our offices are private and all business transacted with us is in strict confidence. The money can be paid back in small cash payments to suit your convenience.

THE SALARY DISCOUNT CO.,
525-526 Mermod & Jaccard bldg. (62)

MONEY furnished salaried people; loans made on furniture and pianos; easy payments. J. M. Griffin, 320 Commercial bldg. Bell phone Main 1492M. (62)

MISS K. HAMILTON, "private investor," caters to nice people only, who can appreciate good treatment; will try a few furniture and piano loans. 721 Mermod-Jaccard bldg. (62)

W. S. PRICE
WILL GET YOU

$100.00 FOR $4.00 A YEAR.
$75.00 FOR $3.00 A YEAR.
$50.00 FOR $2.00 A YEAR.
$25.00 FOR $1.00 A YEAR.

On furniture, pianos, horses, wagons, etc. 615 Mermod & Jaccard bldg. Phone D1846. (14)

MONEY LOANED

On furniture, pianos and other security. Lowest rates. Most favorable terms in the city. See others, then SEE ME and BE CONVINCED.

I will SAVE YOU MONEY.
$1.00 weekly repays $25 loan and costs.
$1.50 weekly repays $50 loan and costs.

GEORGE W. MILLER,
Room 37 De Menil bldg., 119 N. 7th st. Call up Kinloch B1270. (88)

EUGENE A. TRISLER,
Room 24, 119 N. 7th st., De Menil bldg., makes loans of $25 and upward on furniture, pianos and household goods; lowest terms in city; confidential. (62)

PRIVATE party has $500 to loan on furniture, pianos, horses, etc., sums $25 upwards; weekly or monthly payments; confidential; 8 per cent interest. See D. Morgan, 909 Chestnut st. (56)

MONEY TO LOAN MONEY

ON FURNITURE OR PIANOS.

WE NEVER REMOVE GOODS. You get the money same day you apply. No publicity, no inquiries. Our RATES are GUARANTEED THE LOWEST in the city. YOU make YOUR OWN TERMS with us for repayment of loan, in WEEKLY, MONTHLY or YEARLY payments. It WILL PAY YOU to see us IF YOU NEED MONEY. Call, write or phone to us for further information. OUR AGENT will call on you if requested.

PHONES: MAIN 2764M AND D1849.
NATIONAL LOAN COMPANY,
209 AND 213 MERMOD & JACCARD BLDG.,
407 N. BROADWAY, COR. LOCUST ST. (56)

LOANS ON FURNITURE.

Rates and terms unheard of. Look:

$1.50 weekly pays a $75.00 loan.
$1.20 weekly pays a $60 loan.
$1.00 weekly pays a $50 loan.
75c weekly pays a $40 loan.

Payments may be made weekly, semimonthly or monthly. It is to your interest to consult us. All business private and above board. See us.

CHEMICAL FINANCE CO.,
501 Chemical building, Eighth and Olive. (5)

SHALL WE BE YOUR BANKERS?

We make loans on furniture WITHOUT REMOVAL. We make no INQUIRIES of your friends or employer. We give you the full amount in CASH, not checks. We arrange payments to suit your CONVENIENCE and ABILITY. We do not RECORD LOANS. We RECEIPT for every payment made. We pay off any OTHER LOAN or a balance on furniture and GIVE MORE MONEY. WE EXTEND PAYMENTS in case of SICKNESS. We make as LOW RATES as the LOWEST. We grant LIBERAL DISCOUNTS for time money is not used. This is our business in a NUTSHELL. SEE US and be CONVINCED that we are THE PEOPLE. We make loans in East St. Louis.

THE HOUSEHOLD LOAN COMPANY.
Bell Main 4140. ROOM 201 FULLERTON BLDG.
Tel. Kin. B1911. 7th and Pine sts. (14)

WHEN U WANT MONEY

On your furniture, piano or SALARY.
On terms to suit YOUR CONVENIENCE,
CALL and see me and BE CONVINCED
I will SAVE YOU MONEY.
$1.00 weekly repays $25 loan and COSTS.
$1.50 weekly repays $50 loan and COSTS.
IF SICK payment can be extended.
LIBERAL REBATE if paid BEFORE DUE.
Papers can be signed at your home.
CALL, write or telephone.

JOHN W. STALEY, 202 N. 9th st.
Suite 501-02-03 Benoist Building.
Telephone Kinloch A684; Bell Main 4430. (8)

MONEY TO LOAN

ON FURNITURE OR PIANOS.

DO NOT FAIL TO CALL and get our rates before getting loan elsewhere; our system gives LONG TIME and SMALL PAYMENTS with REBATE when paid before due, so you only pay for such time as you have had loan. We give PASSBOOK, where all payments are entered. We do not require payment while SICK OR OUT OF WORK; No PUBLICITY, NO INCONVENIENCE; NO INQUIRY, papers can be signed at house and you get money same day you apply. We make a specialty of paying off any loan or claim against goods and giving more money.

If you cannot call, WRITE OR TELEPHONE us and we will send agent to explain our SYSTEM. TELEPHONE KINLOCH B434 or BELL MAIN 2833.

FIDELITY BROKERAGE CO.,
Room No. 410 Commonwealth Trust bldg., Broadway and Olive st. Entrance 421 Olive st. (14)

EAST ST. LOUIS LOAN CO.

Loans money on household goods and all kinds of personal property; easy monthly payments. Room 226 McCausland bldg., 225 Collinsville av. Phone Bell East 1352M; Kinloch St. Clair 450. (14)

PROPERTY OUT OF CITY FOR SALE

14 words, 20c.

PROPERTY—St. Louis County, from 1 to 200 acres. B. C. Stevens, Clayton, Mo. (8)

REAL ESTATE FOR EXCHANGE.

14 Words, 20c.

PROPERTY WANTED—To exchange 80-acre farm, Iuka, Ill.; clear; for clear North St. Louis property or suburban. 2235 Mary. F. F. Manners.

MUSICAL.

14 Words, 20c.

ABSOLUTELY the lowest prices and largest stock in city; $10,000 stock mandolins and guitars, from $1.25 to $125; graphophones and records, music boxes, brass band instruments, pianos, sheet, band and orchestra music. Joseph F. Hunleth Music Co., 9 S. Broadway. (92)

ALL piano tuning, $1.50, first-class tuner and repairer; 25 years' experience. H. Kautz, 2330 Gravois av. Bell phone Sidney 492M. (14)

GRAPHOPHONE—$65 buys largest Edison grand graphophone; 65 records; largest horn; cost $265. 1414 N. 16th st. (62)

HAVE your musical instruments repaired at Jos. Hunleth Music Co., 9 S. Broadway. (92)

HORN WANTED—Tenor or baritone; will trade a fine "banjo in case," or pay cash. Ad. E 98, Post-Dispatch.

MISS K. MULROY has withdrawn from Weltner Conservatory and will teach at home. Studio, 2345 Rutger st.

PIANO—$65 buys fine piano, with stool and cover. SCHUBERT & MOXTER, 2602 Franklin. (6)

PIANO—Will sell my upright Gabler piano at sacrifice for cash. 3109 S. Jefferson av. (5)

PIANO—$100 buys fine upright piano, with stool and scarf. H. Keutz, 2330 Gravois av. (62)

PIANO—$15 buys nice Steinway piano, stool cover and delivered. 1414 N. 16th st. (6)

PIANO, ETC.—For sale, good upright piano, $30; phonograph, Edison standard, 20 records, $9. Kinloch B979.

PIANO PUPILS WANTED—Experienced man, graduated twice, teaches piano in homes. For particulars ad. 3622 Evans av.

PIANOS—We have a number of good make upright pianos that are in perfect condition that we will dispose of at one-third their original price; these pianos must be seen and heard to be appreciated. Langan Storage Co., salesroom, 1001 Morgan st. (5)

PUPILS WANTED—Experienced man graduate will accept a few more pupils. Studio, 1324 N. Taylor av.

PUPILS WANTED—For violin, mandolin and guitar; can teach here or go out; terms reasonable; satisfaction guaranteed. E. Reese, 1935A Carr st.

PUPILS WANTED—Young lady wishes pupils in voice culture; best references; reasonable terms; also sing at entertainments or funerals. Ad. D 55, Post-Dispatch. (4)

SCHUBERT & MOXTER, 2602 Franklin; 1st-class piano tuning and repairing; both phones. (8)

SLIGHTLY used and second-hand upright pianos, only $50, $65, $75 and up, including Steinway, Kimball, Chickering, Hallet & Davis, Knabe and other standard makes; exchange privilege within two years at purchase price.

KIESELHORST PIANO CO.,
Established 1879. 914 Olive st. (5)

USED PIANOS from $20 to $165, including a Steinway; must have room.
KLEEKAMP BROS. PIANO CO., 2307 Park. (6)

VIOLIN, cornet, piano, cello, viola, bass and mandolin clubs. Prof. Robinson, 1422 Washington.

PIANOS SACRIFICED
At the Incorporation Sale of the
F. G. SMITH PIANO CO.,
1012 Olive, A. E. Whitaker, Mgr.

New Upright Pianos $175, $200, $250 Upwards—Formerly $275 to $400. Used Uprights at $95, $125, $145, $175, Etc. Squares at $15, $24, $35, $50. Organs at $15 and $25.

ALL PIANOS TO BE SOLD AT GREAT REDUCTIONS. LOWER THAN AUCTION PRICES IN A GREAT MANY INSTANCES.

The purchase of the BRADBURY Piano business at 1012 Olive st. by a corporation known as the F. G. Smith Piano Co. necessitates the selling of every instrument now contained in the BRADBURY Wareroom. This is to close the affairs of the old firm—and the pianos must be sold, regardless of loss or any other consideration.

The best makes of pianos and organs have been reduced beyond precedent. Instruments have many times brought more at auction or forced sale than they are now marked during this Incorporation Sale of the F. G. Smith Piano Co.

New Pianos, $175, $190, $195, $210, $225, $250, $275 upwards, that were formerly $275, $300, $350, $400, upwards.

Upright Pianos at $95, $110, $125, $150, $175, including BRADBURY, Gabler and other well-known makes.

Kimball, Estey and Henning organs can be had for $10, $15, $20, $25, etc.

Parties owning old square or upright pianos can trade them in now and get the full benefit of the reduced sale prices in exchange for new uprights of modern construction.

Don't wait to get that piano. Buy it now at this sale—and save 20 per cent, 40 per cent and 50 per cent.

You may never have another such opportunity.

F. G. SMITH PIANO CO., 1012 Olive st.
A. E. WHITAKER, Manager. (8)

HENRY F. MILLER PIANOS,

World's best for tone, durability and workmanship; 50 years before the public; Boston's most favorite make.
KLEEKAMP BROS. PIANO CO., 2307 Park. (62)

RENT PIANOS

$2, $3, $3.50, $4 per month and upwards. Finest assortment in the city and lowest prices. Rent allowed if piano is purchased.

F. G. SMITH PIANO CO., 1012 Olive st.
A. E. Whitaker, manager. (5)

PIANO REMOVAL SALE

Ten more days at the old stand and then we move to our new location, corner Grand and Pine. Now is your opportunity for the piano bargain; price cut deep; easy payments; sale now going on.

RETTER'S, 1025 N. Grand av. (6)

STOVE REPAIRS

14 Words, 20c.

A. G. BRAUER, STOVE REPAIRS 316 N. 3d St

STOVES repaired; castings for any stove, 10c a pound; telephone D491.

REPAIRS for all stoves and ranges. Missouri Stove Repair Co., 112 N. 8th st. (8)

REPAIRS for "any old" stove.
Forshaw, 111 N. 12th. Kinloch C97. (8)

FARMS FOR SALE.

14 Words, 20c.

THE FRISCO SYSTEM

Traverses a country offering great opportunities. If you want a poultry, fruit, grain or stock farm write me, stating what you want, and I will send you our literature describing the country particularly suited for your purpose, together with descriptions of farms, the names of owners or reliable agents and other valuable information FREE.

S. A. HUGHES, Gen. Immigration Agent,
Frisco bldg., St. Louis, Mo. (8)

FARM—For sale, nice little farm of 71 acres, all in cultivation; good 8-room frame house; barn, water, etc.; 40 acres meadow; ¾ mile of railroad town; ¼ mile of school; price $40 per acre. Ad. owner, A. L. Osborn, Mt. Vernon, Ill. (7)

FARM—For sale, small farm, on easy payments, or for rooming house or furnishings. 2602A Dickson st. (6)

REAL ESTATE WANTED

14 Words, 20c.

WANT TO BUY

Single flat, 5 and 6 rooms; state full particular, price and location. Ad. F 107, Post-Dispatch.

HOUSE WANTED—4 or 5 rooms, good neighborhood, convenient to car lines; state best terms to reliable purchaser. Charles Lafayette, Soulard Station, city. (7)

PROPERTY WANTED—Improved property; must be suitable corner for residence and drug store. Ad. Y 84, Post-Dispatch.

DWELLINGS FOR RENT.

14 Words, 20c.

1503-5-7 WASHINGTON AV.

Three choice 11-room modern houses; will rent together or separate.
NICHOLLS-RITTER, 713 Chestnut st. (6)

4209 WEST BELLE PLACE.

Nine-room dwelling; furnace heat; all conveniences.
NICHOLLS-RITTER, 713 Chestnut st. (6)

AGENTS' RENT LISTS.

GRACE & SONS
100 N. Eighth St.

4624A	Westminster, 6-room apartment; fixtures, ranges, janitor service	$42 50
3218	Cabanne av., 7 rooms, fixtures, range, janitor	42 50
6208	Cabanne av., 5 rooms, fixtures, janitor	32 50
4636A	Page bl., 4 rooms, bath, furnace, fixtures	25 00
4850	St. Louis av., 5 rooms, bath, furnace	20 00
	HOUSES.	
3030	Olive st., 8 rooms, bath; will decorate	40 00
3218	Pine st., 9 rooms, bath, furnace, fixtures	45 00
	DOWNTOWN FLATS.	
1916	Chestnut st., near Union Station, 4 rooms, bath; will decorate for good tenant	20 00

FLATS FOR RENT.

14 Words, 20c.

NEW WASHINGTON BL. FLATS

Washington bl., just east of Euclid; 5 and 6 rooms; fixtures, screens and decorated to suit; furnace heat. See them.
NICHOLLS-RITTER, 713 Chestnut st. (6)

CHOICE FLATS

4411-18A Greer av., 4 and 7 rooms; every modern convenience. Key at 2814 N. Taylor.
NICHOLLS-RITTER, 713 Chestnut st. (6)

Handsome Flats

N. e. cor. Goodfellow and Page, 5 and 6 rooms; every modern convenience; combination fixtures, gas range, etc. Look at these today.
NICHOLLS-RITTER, 713 Chestnut st. (6)

5218 Delmar Av.

Handsome 7-room flat; every modern convenience; janitor service.
NICHOLLS-RITTER, 713 Chestnut st. (6)

6178-6180 ETZEL AVENUE,

Choice 4 and 5 room flats; every convenience; rent reasonable. See these choice flats today.
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NEW FLATS.

S. s. Bartmer av., east of Hodiamont; choice 5 and 6 room flats; will decorate to suit. Open for inspection.
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Splendid Steam-Heated Apartments

Southwest corner of McPherson and Lake; hardwood finish, steam heat, gas and electric fixtures, shades, screens, janitor service. See them at once. Open for inspection.
NICHOLLS-RITTER, 713 Chestnut st. (6)

LOANS ON REAL ESTATE.

14 Words, 20c

MONEY TO LOAN—$1000 to $10,000; low rate. W. J. Murphy & Son, 1023 Chestnut st. (8)

MONEY WANTED.

14 Words, 20c.

MONEY WANTED—To borrow from private party about $400; will pay 8 per cent; good security. Ad. F 67, Post-Dispatch.

MONEY WANTED—To borrow $2000 on 240 acres improved farm, 30 miles from St. Louis; give first mortgage; no commission. Ad. B 7, Post-Dispatch. (92)

MONEY WANTED—I will give a party salary of $25 per week and security of half interest in good paying business for loan of $1500 for 6 months; party can handle all money; an opportunity to make some money.

IMPROVED PROPERTY FOR SALE.

14 words, 20c.

Fine Washington Av. Home
WEST END

5093 Washington av., handsome 12-room house; 2 baths, reception hall, hot water heat, beautifully finished and well arranged.

A Decided Bargain

For key and particulars call at
HOLBROOK-BLACKWELDER
REAL ESTATE TRUST CO.,
812 Olive St.

PRIZE HOUSE

5720 Von Versen av.; 10 rooms, oak floors and finish, on first floor; separate bathroom and toilet; hot-water heat.
HOLBROOK-BLACKWELDER R. E. T. CO.,
812 Olive st.

Reduced to $2900 From $3800

My residence, 4634 Kennerly av., between Marcus and Cora avs., one-half block from fine school; 3 car lines; large, two-story brick, 6 large rooms, reception hall, large bathroom, marble washstand, fine dry cellar, cemented laundry; high lot; would cost to build $3800; must be sold by March 15; $450 cash, balance deed trust; can rent for $35 month; reason, going to Mexico April 1. Will net 33 per cent as investment. Call any time up to 9 p. m.

Two-Story Brick Only $1850.

7619 Ivory av.; has 7 rooms; rent $22 per month; street and all other improvements; a snap; cars pass the door.
KOLLAS & BRINKOP, 1138 Chestnut st.

4213-15 Louisiana Only $3600.

Four flats; rent $480 per annum; for quick sale; 12 per cent investment; always rented.
KOLLAS & BRINKOP, 1138 Chestnut st.

Shenandoah Near Grand $38.50

25 or 50 feet; a snap; must sell.

Virginia Av. Just South Pestalozzi

25, 50 or 75 feet; a bargain at $20.
KOLLAS & BRINKOP, 1138 Chestnut st.

HOUSE—It must be sold at a bargain, 3507 Franklin av., 9-room brick; has two nice baths, 2d and 3d floor; whole house heated by hot water service; owner non-resident. For further particulars see E. T. Menkens, 704 Chestnut.

HOUSE—For sale, 3828 Flad av.; modern 9-room house, with all latest improvements, at a bargain; owner leaving city. Call today.

HOUSE—2816 S. Jefferson av., 8-room house, reception hall, bath; 1 or 2 families; owner 2d floor; $4300. (5)

HOUSE—9-room house for business; sell or exchange for land. 3115 Franklin av.

CITY REAL ESTATE FOR SALE.

14 words, 20c.

Manufacturing Property

1500 Feet Fronting on Wabash and Terminal Tracks.

Just west of city limits, north of Etzel av.

Best Switching Facilities Available in the City.

HOLBROOK-BLACKWELDER R. E. T. CO.,
812 Olive st.

LOT—For sale, choice lot on Clayton av., 50x120; 98 feet west of Sarah st.; sewer, water and gas; price $24 per foot. Apply 7527 Woodland av., Maplewood. (62)

TOO LATE FOR CLASSIFICATION.

SHOE SALESMAN WANTED—Competent and thoroughly efficient young man, with local experience, age 20 to 25 years; splendid opening for a young man that knows his business. Apply or write superintendent Schaper Bros., Broadway.

BOYS WANTED.

Bright, neat boys of about 16 years of age, to fill positions of trust; a good chance for advancement. Apply to Mr. Benson, first floor,
THE MAY CO.,
Washington av. and 6th st.

ONLY $7,000

4218 MARYLAND AVE.

Lovely 8-room detached home, handsomely decorated; just ready to move into. Cannot be equaled in the city for the money.

Nicholls-Ritter, 713 Chestnut St. Both Phones.

POST-DISPATCH DAILY RECORD OF FINANCIAL AND MARKETS

WOMAN DRUMMER HAD ONLY TONGUE

Mrs. Carruth of Norwich, N. Y., Successfully Sells Drugs in Husband's Stead.

SHE TALKED LIKE VETERAN.

"Not Afraid of Word and Quick to Learn," Explains Her Success.

MIDDLETOWN, N. Y., March 9.—Mrs. Frank Carruth of Norwich is playing "The Female Drummer" with tremendous success. Not on the stage, but in real, arduous life. Over country roads, Mrs. Carruth is plodding through snowdrifts in piercing cold. Bravely and successfully the pretty young woman is taking the place of her husband, a commercial traveler for a wholesale drug house.

Mr. Carruth has been ill in the hospital for some weeks. When he first took to his bed his devoted wife told him not to worry, that his business should not suffer, for she would substitute for him. He objected that the work would be too hard and that she knew nothing about drugs.

"I am not afraid of work and I am quick to learn," she smilingly answered. "So it remains only for you to get well."

Carrying her husband's case of samples she set out. "Quick to learn," was she? Rather. It is both pleasant and instructive to see and hear her selling drugs at some cross-roads apothecary shop. Thus:

"Our castor oil is really delicious. Let me tell you what happened at Doc Cahill's drug store yesterday. A girl went in there and said to the Doc: 'I want a dose of castor oil that you can't taste.' She walked around looking at the face powders and the perfumery, and, after awhile, Doc Cahill said to her: 'Would you like a glass of soda water, Miss?' She smiled and said: 'You're very polite; thank you, yes,' and she emptied the glass he gave her. In a few minutes she said to the Doc: 'Will you please give me that castor oil?' 'You've taken it, Miss,' said Cahill, triumphantly. 'My, good gracious!' cried the girl, 'it was for my grandmother.'

"You see," Mrs. Carruth concludes, "he had given her castor oil in carbonic water and she thought it was syrup."

Mrs. Carruth has been selling castor oil by the gallon and has doubled her husband's sales of all kinds of drugs.

WEARS MAKEUP AT HIS DIVORCE TRIAL

Fall River Man Disguises Himself to Hear His Wife's Testimony Against Him.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

TAUNTON, Mass., March 9.—Because of a desire to hear what his wife was going to say about him when her libel for divorce was heard at the session of the Superior Court here, Patrick J. Cody, an insurance man of Fall River, created a sensation about the courtroom.

Mr. Cody is a little man, with a rosy, smooth face, but in court he wore a "scare wig" that stood up at various angles all over his head, while a mustache of prodigious size and whiskers made of curled hair hid every portion of his face except his eyes. A suit of old clothing and a pair of bright yellow leggins completed his make-up.

State Detective Hodges, who never yet has worn a disguise, walked over and took a look at the stranger, and, seeing the hooks over his ears, which held the false beard to his face, he began to look him over pretty carefully.

In response to questions, he pulled the officer over into a corner and, in a stage whisper, said that his wife was inside attempting to secure a divorce from him. He said that he assumed the disguise so as to hear what she said without her knowing it. After this overhauling by the detective, he pulled off the "Dundrearys" and re-entered the courtroom. He took a seat in an obscure corner and pulled his weary-looking soft hat down over his ears, almost concealing his face.

Patrick, minus the disguise, sat through all the recital of his wrongdoing, but created no scene. When the hearing was finished he quietly walked out of the courtroom, his whiskers and wig bulging out in his pockets.

POLICE ARREST MODERN FAGIN

Trenton Man Is Accused of Directing the Operation of a Gang of Fifteen Boy Thieves.

TRENTON, N. J., March 9.—The Fagin of Dickens' "Oliver Twist" has been outdone by William Growler, proprietor of a pool parlor in this city, who, according to the confessions of 15 boys, was master of a school of crime which has been puzzling the police for months. Growler is under arrest, as are the boys who were his pupils, and also Samuel Olinski, a South Trenton junk dealer, who, it is claimed was the "fence."

The Trenton Street Railway Co., the De Laval Steam Turbine Works, the Crescent Belting & Packing Co., the Eureka Rubber Co., the Western Union Telegraph Co. and other large business concerns were chief sufferers by the pilfering operations of the gang.

The boys say that they were not only furnished with tools to do their work by Growler, but that he also provided them with revolvers to be used in case they met with resistance.

FRESHMAN STABS TWO 'SOPHS'

First-Year Man at Michigan Objects to Hair Cutting and Defends Himself From Crowd.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

ANN ARBOR, Mich., March 9.—As a result of a hair cutting scrap which broke out between the freshmen and sophomores of the University last night, two second-year men may die.

A crowd of six "Sophs" was hurrying toward the campus. A student, who was ahead of them, suddenly whirled as the crowd came upon him. In the mix up L. A. Warren of Edmore, Mich., and H. H. Corson of Birmingham, Mich., both sophomores, were stabbed by the frightened freshman, who escaped in the excitement.

The "Sophs" were taken to the hospital and their condition is critical. Detectives are searching for the freshman. One of the "Sophs" said that the crowd had no intention of cutting the freshman's hair, and that his attack was a complete surprise to them.

To Resume River Traffic.

River transportation between Alton and St. Louis will be resumed Friday evening, when the steamer Bald Eagle leaves St. Louis for Alton. Saturday the Bald Eagle will make the trip through to Hardin and touch all way ports. The St. Louis-Alton trips of the steamer Spread Eagle will not be resumed until April 1, says S. B. Isaker, Alton agent for the Eagle Packet Co.

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BULL PRICES STILL CONTROL THE MARKET

Reaction in the Late Trading Eliminates Partially Earlier Gains, but the Close Finds Prices Steady and in Nearly All Cases Slightly Higher.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

NEW YORK, March 9.—Wall street's opening this morning was animated and strong with gains well distributed throughout the entire list. Reading was again the conspicuous feature, the initial trade being 14,000 at 99⅛ to 99½.

Sentiment both locally and abroad this morning is favorably influenced by the success of the Japanese arms in Manchuria and in foreign centers all markets are reported as strong. It is generally believed that the present victory removes the last obstacle from the pathway of peace in the Far East and prices are rising on that account. American securities in London reflect the improved feeling in gains of ½ to ¾ and British consols are 5-16 higher at 91½.

Sentiment is also stimulated by the reduction in the Bank of England's discount rate from 3 to 2½ per cent. This indicates the ease prevalent in the foreign money markets at the present time and although this announcement has been expected for some time it is nevertheless favorably received by the bulls.

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Operations on the long side of the market were conducted with more confidence after the second hour. Dealings converged on Reading, Pennsylvania, Union Pacific, Atchison and Amalgamated Copper and their advance had a tonic effect on allied properties. The principal gains of the first hour were: New York 1⅜, Union Pacific and Southern Pacific 1⅞, and St. Paul, the Atchisons, Northwestern, Pennsylvania, Amalgamated Copper, the Smelting stocks, Federal Mining preferred, Colorado Fuel, Virginia-Carolina Chemical and United States Reduction and Refining preferred 1 to 1½.

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The report of the Iron Age is favorable in the extreme with the strong statistical position of the pig iron market still the feature of the industry. An excellent demand prevails for all classes of both finished and unfinished products and even in the steel rail market, which has failed to appreciate in the same proportion as other branches of the industry, an increasing demand is noted.

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Wall street has been paying considerable attention to the movements of the wheat market in the past two days and considerable buying in the granger shares has followed the decline noted in this cereal. Prices on the Stock exchange have risen to such an altitude that the crop situation will be decidedly more of a feature this year than usually and the excellent conditions now reported over the winter wheat belt have added largely to the ammunition of the bull forces.

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The banks in their operations with the subtreasury are moderate losers on the week and the early predictions are that the bank statement will make at the best a negative showing. The call by the government on the national banks of the country for the balance of the call made in January means approximately $13,500,000 and the preparations for this payment may in the next week cause a slight hardening in the call money rate. The call is to be met on the 15th of this month. Out of $40,000,000 in railroad, state, municipal and government bonds lodged to secure public moneys a year ago only about $250,000 now remains and the present call will release governments almost solely.

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Railroad earnings coming to hand for the fourth week of February still reflect the effects of the severe winter weather. Thirty-six roads for this period show an average gross decrease of 6.87 per cent. The losses noted are caused by a general shrinkage in traffic in all sections of the country and not from any excessive falling off in any particular locality.

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At the noon hour prices were still well maintained around the high figure of the morning. Money is in light demand at 2½ per cent. Sales to noon.

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Much interest is being attached by the trading element to the expected opinion to be handed down in the Northern Securities decision and many of the best traders are inclined to fight shy of the buying side of prices on this account. The question is of course whether the court will give any utterance to views which might affect the plan of distribution of the Northern Securities assets. The general opinion is that the court will not qualify the decision in that direction as it is generally understood that the government is not concerned in the method of the distribution. Again the original Northern Securities decision which was affirmed by the Supreme Court apparently gave the Securities company ample latitude in the method of the distribution of its assets. Nevertheless, conservatives are inclined to await the opinion of the court before making new commitments on the long side.

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Little if any change in the character of the trading was apparent as the closing period drew near. Amalgamated Copper, Canadian Pacific and Reading were taken in heavy amounts at sharply higher levels. The general list retained some of its advance, but profit-taking sales were largely in evidence. The close was easy, but generally higher.

GRAIN MARKETS BY TELEGRAPH

LIVERPOOL, March 9.—Spot wheat nominal; futures steady; March nominal; May, 6s 9½d; July, 6s 9¾d. Corn—Spot steady; American mixed, new, 2⅝d; American mixed, old, 4s 11d; futures steady; March, 4s 2½d; May, 4s 4½d.

CHICAGO, March 9.—The wheat market today was extremely erratic, prices of all deliveries fluctuating nervously. May was up ⅛@¾c to ⅞@1c, at $1.13⅝ to $1.14. July was ⅛c to ⅝c higher, at 94c to 94½c. On heavy realizing May dropped to $1.12⅝. July sold down to 93⅞c. On covering May advanced to $1.14 and July to 94¼c. Minneapolis, Duluth and Chicago reported receipts of 266 cars, against 371 cars a year ago.

Corn was strong. May opened ⅛c to ¼c higher, at 48⅛c to 48¼c. After selling at 48c the price advanced to 48¼c. May oats opened a shade to ⅛@⅞c higher, at 31⅝c to 32c, and sold up to 32¼c.

May pork was up 2½c, at $12.70. Lard and ribs were each unchanged at $7.02½ and $6.85.

KANSAS CITY, Mo., March 9.—Close: Wheat—Lower; May, 98⅜c; July, 83¼c; cash No. 2 hard, $1.03@1.05; No. 3, $1.01@1.03; No. 4, 90c@$1; No. 2 red, $1.04@1.06; No. 3, $1.02@1.04; No. 4, 95c@$1.02. Corn—Steady; May, 45⅜c; July, 45⅝c; cash No. 2 mixed, 46c; No. 3, 45⅞@46c; No. 2 white, 47c; No. 3, 46¼c. Oats—Steady; No. 2 white, 33c; No. 2 mixed, 32½c. Butter—Creamery, 23@27c; dairy, packing, 17½c. Eggs—Fresh, 17c. Receipts wheat, 51 cars.

DONOVAN COMMISSION CO. ON THE MARKETS.

ST. LOUIS, March 9.—These are very scrappy markets we are having, but I notice that after all the slugging is over and the bell rings, the bull is most to the good. You can bet he will get the final decision, too. All you have to do is not to lose your head n these forced breaks, but stand ready to cut off a few bunches at the bargain sale offered you. The situation is overcrowded with short sellers and they are not so overconfident as they were. There's been too big a break with no certainty the big bulls are out. They can easily stand for a 10-cent break, but how many of the sellers could stand for half that much bulge? I can't see any weakness across the water and I can see cold weather coming. That may not last long, but it may freeze out the new-crop bears. This is the treacherous March, you know. Farm reserves of grain will be known tomorrow p. m. and believe it will figure bullish on wheat, corn and oats. Coarse grains have strength of their own and the friends to back them. There isn't enough of either moving to break the back of the markets. You will always find a demand at a price and the price is so near that you want to buy on any decline.

317 Pine street. HARRY REED.

NEW YORK STOCK QUOTATIONS.

Reported daily for the Post-Dispatch by Wasserman, Bro. & Co., 315 Olive street.

STOCKS.	Open	High	Low	Price at 1:45
American Car and Foundry	35½	35½	35⅛	35⅛
do preferred	94⅝	94⅝	94⅝	94⅝
American Loco. common	43⅜	43⅜	43½	43¾
American Smelter	94⅝	96⅜	94⅝	[illegible]
American Sugar	145	145¼	143	143⅞
A. C. P.	78⅝	80⅜	78⅝	80½
Colorado Fuel and Iron	51⅝	52	51½	51¾
Consolidated Gas	213	213½	212¾	212½
North American	102½	102⅝	102½	102½
Pacific Mail	46	47¼	46	46⅝
People's Gas	110¼	110⅜	110	110⅜
Republic Iron and Steel	18⅞	19¼	18½	19¼
do preferred	76	77	76	77
Tennessee Coal and Iron	88	90	87⅞	89⅝
United States Leather com.	12	12⅝	12	12¼
United States Steel	36¼	36⅝	36	36¼
do preferred	95⅝	96¼	95⅝	96¼
Western Union	93	93	93	93
Atchison common	92¼	93⅜	92¼	93
Baltimore & Ohio	110	110¼	109⅝	110
Brooklyn Rapid Transit	66¼	66½	66¼	66⅜
Canadian Pacific	144¼	146½	144½	146¼
Chesapeake & Ohio	50⅞	50⅞	50½	50½
Chicago & Alton common	39½	39½	39½	39½
do preferred	82¼	82¼	82¼	82½
C. & G. W.	23	23	23	23
C., M. & St. P.	178½	179⅜	178½	179
Colorado Southern	25⅝	26	25⅝	26
Delaware & Hudson	193¼	193¼	191½	192
D. & R. G. preferred	88⅝	88⅜	88⅝	88⅝
Erie common	47½	48	47½	48
do 1st	82½	82⅝	82⅛	82¼
Illinois Central	159	159¼	159	159
Louisville & Nashville	142¼	142½	141⅞	141¼
Manhattan	171	171½	171	171½
Metropolitan	123¼	123¼	122½	122½
Metropolitan Securities	85	85½	84⅝	84⅝
Mexican Central	24⅝	25¼	24⅝	25
Missouri, Kansas & Texas	31⅝	32	31⅝	32
do preferred	65⅛	65⅞	65	65
Missouri Pacific	109¼	109⅝	109	109¼
New York Central common	157⅝	158⅜	157⅜	158½
N. Y. O. & W.	55	55¼	55	55¼
Norfolk & Western	84½	84⅜	84¼	84¼
Pennsylvania	143¼	144	143¼	143½
Reading common	99⅛	99⅝	98⅜	99⅛
do 2d	91⅝	91⅝	91¼	91¼
Rock Island	34⅞	36	34⅞	36⅛
do 4s	82⅜	82⅜	82⅛	82⅜
do preferred	80	81⅝	80	81¾
St. L. & S. F. 2d	71¾	71⅞	71¼	71¼
St. Louis & Southwestern	26	26	26	26
do preferred	62½	62½	62¼	62½
Southern Pacific	69⅞	71⅛	69⅞	70⅞
Southern Railway	35½	35⅞	35½	35⅝
Texas Pacific	39¼	39½	39⅛	39½
Union Pacific common	134	134⅞	133⅝	134¼
do preferred	99⅜	99⅜	99⅜	99⅜
Wabash common	23	23¼	23	23
do preferred	47¼	47¼	47¼	47¼
do deb. Bs	71	71¼	70⅝	70⅝
Wisconsin Central common	24	24¼	24	24⅛
do preferred	52⅝	52⅝	52½	52½
Chicago Terminal	17⅝	18	17½	18
do preferred	32	34½	32	34½
Malting preferred	28⅜	28⅝	27¼	27⅜

Sales to noon, 670,500 shares.

Cotton Weakens Late.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

NEW YORK, March 9.—A full response was made by Liverpool to yesterday's advance by this market. Cables reporting 3 to 4 points gain and closed 3 to 5 points higher for the day. This shows how strong the general feeling is abroad, as also does foreign buying in the local market recently. A considerable part of the buying yesterday was for foreign account, and more reported today. This affects the reputed falling off in business at Manchester and to some extent the increasing movement. Principal offset to the movement is the unfavorable weather in the South. A good deal of the buying today was due to the bad weather. It was reported that 8000 bales would go out of local stock this week. Bears claim that present prices not justified by supply and demand position of the staple, and the enormous amount held back when it comes forward will depress markets more than they would under an ordinary movement. They were free sellers at the higher prices, causing the market to weaken.

St. Louis Money Market.

Reported by Webb, French & Co., 421 Olive street, St. Louis, Mo., and 41 Wall street, New York.

Commercial paper, demand loans on good collateral, 3½ to 4½ per cent; 60 to 60 day bills receivable, with best local indorsements, 3¾ to 1½ per cent; prime three to four months single name paper, 4 to 4½ per cent; good paper for longer time or not so well known, 4½ to 6 per cent.

DOLLS FOR "BOYS" OF FIFTY FAVORED

Educator Tells Women He Hopes Son Will Cherish Toy Children Even in Maturity.

CHICAGO, March 9.—If your father or even your grandfather should delight in dancing a big wax doll on his knee and should smile in blissful contentment when its mechanism lisps the word "mamma," do not try to discourage him. On the other hand, slap him on the back and jovially exclaim: "Go it, dad! Keep it up! You're the stuff!"

Such, by suggestion at least, was the advice offered yesterday by Prof. William Dean MacClintock of the University of Chicago in an address to the Woman's Columbian Club at Northwestern University Settlement.

"If your boy wants to play with dolls, do not laugh at him," began the speaker. "I would congratulate and one of you if you told me that your son would rather play 'house' than football. When girls play with dolls, they are learning to be mothers, and it is the instinct of fatherhood which prompts the boy to join them. Buy the boy a doll or two, then, if he likes them, and let him pretend to be a father whenever the mood prompts him.

"Why, I have a great, big boy, 15 years old who still likes his dolls and I am proud of him. He is strong and healthy, and close to the long-trouser period, but he keeps two dolls tucked away in a bureau drawer, and looks at them once in a while just to see if their clothes are clean, and if they are resting easily. Whenever he goes to take a peep at them, I know that he is imagining himself a child again, and the thought makes me happy. I hope that he keeps them until he is 50."

Prof. MacClintock, after granting indulgence to the doll-loving boys, voiced objection to "sport," which he defined as play put to the purpose of gain.

"True play," he declared, "is the only thing I know of which will kill the false spirit of 'sport.'"

CONFESSES TO SAVE BROTHER

PHILADELPHIA, March 9.—"I alone committed the robberies for which my brother was sentenced to prison for five years. He is innocent of any wrong."

Daniel Carbrey, 23 years old, made this confession before a magistrate, clearing his only brother, William, two years his junior, who was convicted a few days ago. Ragged, disheveled and exhausted, Daniel returned to the home of his mother and announced his intention of surrendering and taking the punishment to which his brother was condemned. For several weeks he had been roaming about the country and while in New York had read of the conviction of his brother.

WHEAT WILDLY FLUCTUATES TO-DAY

Bear and Bull Speculators Fighting Hard for Mastery of Market.

COARSE GRAINS STILL FIRM

Cables Report Bullish Conditions—Crop Prospect Fine, but Cold Wave Coming.

Wheat, of the speculative kind, certainly went through some wonderful fluctuations today. Every chance the bears had they went after the market hammer and tongs fashion, beating prices down, and the bulls did some vigorous pumping up every chance they saw. These "chances," by the way, were the soft or hard spots in the Chicago market. Latter showed a great deal more stability than St. Louis, May selling here at one time 5c below that month in Chicago. More bullish items are showing, but the fine crop prospects and price keep speculation generally bearish. That side looks almost too popular after such a break. Corn and oats show strength but wheat holds them down. Cash markets in all were dull owing to vote on hard wheat rule.

WHEAT—Although Liverpool after selling ⅛@¼d lower on favorable American crop prospects had reacted ¼@⅜d owing to continued continental demand for Argentine cargoes shipped for orders, and also to covering by shorts, that Paris was up ¾@1c, more cold weather in northern portion wheat belt and Cincinnati Price Current said weather not been favorable for development of plant, although these savored bu...sh, yet the selling so strong locally that July opened with sales at 90⅛c to 90⅜c, latter ⅛@¼c decline. Outside markets advancing caused a rally to 90⅜c, but Chicago collapsed and there was a quick break here to 89⅜c. May opened steady at $1.09¾ and fell to $1.08½. Receipts were 44,650 bu, against 63,800 bu one year ago.

An extremely nervous and unsettled market prevailed during balance of the forenoon. Considerable selling was on belief that hard winter rule would pass. July sold up to 90⅜c, (90⅜@90½c bid) off to 89¼@89⅜c to 89⅞c before noon; May to $1.09¾ to $1.08¼@1.08⅞ bid; Sept. at 97½c@96⅝c. Latest cables reported advances for day of ⅛d at Liverpool and ⅝c at Paris, declines of ⅞c at Berlin and 1½c at Budapest and unchanged at Antwerp.

Primary receipts were 414,000 bu, against 534,000 bu one year ago, and shipments 270,000 bu, against 352,000 bu last year. Clearances of flour were 13,500 bu.

The market held up well subsequently as Chicago showed strength. July sold up to 90c and at close offered at 89⅞c. May had $1.09¼ bid, closing at $1.09@1.09⅛ bid. September sold at 87c closing at 86½c.

Cash market—Practically no market, traders too busy electioneering for or against the hard wheat rule. Hardly any buyers around and little done. From store not a sale reported. By sample delivered—No. 2 red not offered and nominally $1.14@1.15; No. 3 red sold at $1.09 for thin to $1.13 for fancy to east side; No. 4 at 93c for poor to $1.06½ for choice; No. 2 hard nominally $1.08@1.10; No. 3 hard $1.04@1.07, selling at $1.06; No. 4 hard 95c@$1.02, selling at $1.02.

CORN—Small receipts, only 22,000 bu arriving here, against 114,300 bu one year ago, and 196 cars at Chicago, where 371 cars expected, caused firm tone this morning. Cables were encouraging also at Liverpool, March easing off ⅛d on large deliveries on contract, but May advancing ⅛d on speculative buying. No trading in the local pit during first half hour, though 46@46⅛c bid for May.

May opened at 46⅝@46¾c and later bid up to 46⅞@47c, but before 12 o'clock sold at 46¾c. July had 47⅜c bid and later sold at 47¼c. Liverpool maintained its strength, closing ⅜d higher for the day. Primary receipts were 716,000 bu, against 401,000 bu one year ago, and shipments 400,000 bu, against 384,000 bu last year. Clearances 65,000 bu.

Latest trading was at 46⅜c for May and 47¼c for July.

Cash Market—Firm, but little done; offerings very firm. By sample, delivered, No. 2 at 48½c; No. 3 at 48c; No. 2 yellow at 49½c; No. 3 yellow at 48½c; No. 2 white offered at 49c and fancy sold at 50c; No. 3 white at 49c.

OATS—A bid of 31⅝c (⅛c advance) was made for May, denoting a strong undertone. Receipts were 29,700 bu, against 82,350 bu one year ago.

May had 31⅝@31¾c bid, but later offered at 31⅝c. Primary receipts were 432,000 bu, against 481,000 bu one year ago, and shipments 284,000 bu, against 547,000 bu last year. Clearances were nothing.

At close 31⅝c was bid for May, but no trading all the session.

Cash market—Steady and quiet; small business. By sample, delivered—No. 2 at 33c; No. 3 nominally 32½c and No. 4 31½c; No. 2 white at 33¾@34c; No. 3 white at 33@33¾c; No. 4 white at 32½@32¾c; cereal at 31½c.

Trade Topics.

Cincinnati Price Current says: General situation of wheat continues favorable, but weather not sufficiently settled and genial to afford much development. Lessened feeding demand for corn makes more available for shipment. Hog packing for week 450,000 head, against 340,000 for corresponding week last year.

Northwestern Miller says: Minneapolis mill output last week decreased. Large concerns experienced slow trade. Smaller mills seemed to have purchasers for more than output. This probably due to fact that one set of customers was at the time needing flour while others supplied. Most mills reported no export trade.

A local miller reported 1000 sacks soft winter patent flour sold to the United Kingdom at $4.90 in bulk, an unusually high price, besides 2500 bbl. hard winter patents in lots to domestic trade. This shows improved business.

The vote on the rule admitting No. 1 and No. 2 hard winter deliverable on contracts of No. 1 and No. 2 red at a discount in price of 3c resulted in 515 for and 147 against, a decided victory for the hard winter people. This rule goes into effect on and after March 15.

Broomhall estimates Argentine wheat shipments this week at about 4,000,000 bu and corn about 160,000 bu.

Following shows supplies of breadstuffs afloat for Europe and in store in Europe and Argentina and in United States and Canada:

	Mar. 1, '05 Bu.	Feb. 1, '05 Bu.	Mar. 1, '04 Bu.
Afloat for Europe	41,990,000	31,300,000	37,300,000
In store in Europe	44,760,000	55,140,000	38,620,000
In store in Argentina	3,760,000	2,024,000	5,336,000
In store in America	85,242,000	90,714,000	82,015,000
Total	175,752,000	179,478,000	163,361,000

Decrease during February equaled 3,726,000 bu, compared with decrease of 9,738,000 bu during January, and a decrease of 6,357,000 bu during February, 1904.

FLOUR—Lower prices have so far not increased demand for flour materially and trade still moderate. Quotations as follows: Soft wheat flour, wood, high patent, $5.20@5.40; extra fancy, $4.75@4.90; clear, $4.25@4.50; low and medium grade, jute sacks, $3.10@3.75. Hard winter wheat flour, in jute sacks, patent, $4.75@5; straight, $4.00@4.75; first clear, $4.00@4.30; second clear, $3.25@3.50; low grade, $2.70@3. Cornmeal, $2.50. Pearl meal, grits and hominy, $2.80.

HAY—Very firm for best grades, but very dull for medium and low qualities. East track—Timothy, $12.50 for choice; $11@12 for No. 1; $9@10 for No. 2; $6@8 for low grades. Clover—$12.50@13 for choice; $11.50@12 for No. 1; $9@10.50 for No. 2; $6@7 for low grade. Clover—Mixed, $10.50 for choice, $9.50@10 for No. 1, $8.50@9 for No. 2. Prairie—$10 for choice; $9@9.50 for No. 1; $8@8.50 for No. 2; $6@7 for low grade.

LEAD—Firm at $4.37½. 200 tons chemical hard selling, and ordinary Missouri held at that.

SPELTER—An unusually large business has been done at $6.15; sales of round lots of exceptionally size for March and April delivery made at that price.

RYE—A car No. 2 sold local at 81½c and salable destination at 82c. No. 3 quotable at 80@80½c.

MILLFEED—Dull, as not much offered or wanted. Basis east track and in 100s, bran at 85c for hard to 88c for soft winter, 5 cars selling at 85½c; mixed feed at 87c for hard and 88c for soft; mids at 85c to $1. At mill bran jobs at 90c and ships at $1.05.

FLAXSEED—St. Louis—Steady, at $1.25½ bid for export or prompt shipment.

Chicago—Northwestern, $1.39 bid; southwestern, $1.26½ bid; May, $1.26½ bid.

Duluth—May, $1.40¼ bid.

Minneapolis—Cash, $1.40⅝.

PORK—Standard mess, f. o. b., jobbing, nominally at $12.

LARD—Choice steam, east side, nominally 6.52½c; kettle rendered, 7c.

D. S. MEATS—To arrive, loose cure c'ribs closed nominally at 40@45 average, $6.50@6.52½c; 50-average, 6.45@6.47½c c. a. f. Boxed lots, jobbing: Extra shorts, 6⅞c; ribs, 6⅞c; short clear, 7⅛c; bellies, 7½@8c; plates and fat backs, 5⅝c; standard backs, 7¼c. Higher on orders.

BACON—Boxed s. c. meats, jobbing: Breakfast bacon, 9c for heavy to 12c for choice light; hams, 9½@10c; California hams, 6½@7c. New York shoulders, 6½@7c; plain smoked boxed lots, jobbing: Extra shorts, 7½c; c'ribs, 7⅛c; short clear, 7⅛c; bellies, 8¼@9c; plates and fat backs, 6⅝c; standard backs, 8c. Higher on orders.

COUNTRY LARD—5@5½c per pound.

OLEOSTEARINE—Nominal at 6⅞c.

TALLOW—Country, 3½@3⅞c for No. 2 to 4⅜@4⅝c for No. 1. Packers' prime, 5c.

GREASE—Brown, 3c; yellow, 3¼@3⅝c, and white, 4⅜@4½c; latter for choice.

FUTURE PRICES.

ST. LOUIS.

	Closing Yesterday.	Highest Today.	Lowest Today.	Closing Today.
WHEAT.				
May	$1.09⅛b	$1.09⅝	$1.08¼	$1.09@⅛b
July	90¼@90⅜b	90⅜	89¼@89⅜	89⅜a
Sept.	87½	87½	86⅜	86⅞
CORN.				
May	46⅜	46⅞@47b	46⅜@46¾	46¾
July	47b	47⅜b	47¼	47¼a
OATS.				
May	31½a	31⅝@31¾b	31⅝a	31⅝b

NEW YORK.

	Closing Yesterday.	Highest Today.	Lowest Today.	Closing Today.
WHEAT.				
May	$1.12⅝	$1.13¼	$1.11⅞	$1.13 a
July	98⅝	98⅞	97⅞	98½b
CORN.				
May	53¾a	54⅛	53¾	54⅛a
July	53⅜b			54⅛n

MINNEAPOLIS.

	Closing Yesterday.	Highest Today.	Lowest Today.	Closing Today.
WHEAT.				
May	1.10⅝@½	1.11	1.10	1.10⅝
July	1.07⅝@½	1.08 @⅛	1.06⅝	1.07⅞-08b

CHICAGO.

	Closing Yesterday.	Highest Today.	Lowest Today.	Closing Today.
WHEAT.				
May	$1.13¾	$1.14	$1.12⅝	$1.13¾@14
July	95⅞	94½	93⅞	94⅛@94¼
CORN.				
May	48 a	48⅛	48	48⅛@48¼b
July	48⅜@48½	48⅞	48⅜@48½	48⅝@48⅞b
OATS.				
May	31⅝@31¾b	32¼	31¾	31⅞b
July	31½a	31¾	31½	31½@31⅝a

CHICAGO PROVISIONS.

	Closing Yesterday.	Highest Today.	Lowest Today.	Closing Today.
PORK.				
May	$12.67 b	$12.70	12.62@65	12.62@65a
July	12.82	12.82	12.80	12.80 a
LARD.				
May	7.02 b	7.02@05	7.00	7.02 a
July	7.17 a	7.17	7.15	7.17 a
RIBS.				
May	6.85 b	6.85	6.82@85	6.85 a
July	7.00@02a	7.02	7.00	7.00 a

ST. LOUIS CASH MARKET.

	Today.	Yesterday.	Year ago.
WHEAT.			
No. 2 red	$1.14@15 n	$1.15@16½	$1.01@05
No. 3 red	1.09@13	1.10½@13	99 @1.02
No. 4	93@1.06½	1.05@07	80 @85
No. 2 hard	1.08@10 n	1.11@13	87½@90
No. 3 hard	1.04@07 n	1.06@09	79 @87
No. 4 hard	95 @1.02n	90 @1.04	74 @79
CORN.			
No. 2	48½	48⅜	44¾
No. 3	48	48	40½@42½
No. 2 yellow	49½	49	44½@45
No. 3 yellow	48½	48	41 @42½
No. 2 white	49 @50	49	44½
No. 3 white	49	48½	41 @42½
OATS.			
No. 2	33	33	42 @42½
No. 3	32½n	32½	40 @41
No. 4	31½n	31½	39
No. 2 white	33¾@34	33¼@34	45
No. 3 white	33 @33¾	32⅝@33½	44 @44½
No. 4 white	32½@32¾	32 @32¾	40 @43½

Stocks of Grain in St. Louis Elevators.

	Today.	Yesterd'y	Year ago
Wheat	2,585,423	2,610,584	4,643,411
Corn	115,910	118,629	670,373
Oats	874,175	812,887	92,421
Rye	2,822	2,822	9,789
Barley	13,829	13,829	29,062
No. 2 red wheat	886,207	872,827	3,922,220
No. 2 hard wheat	38,602	39,602	319,887
No. 2 mixed corn	63,999	66,337	249,578
No. 2 white corn	16,403	16,403	178,086
No. 2 yellow corn	22,787	22,787	57,560
No. 2 mixed oats	533,526	528,416	20,852
No. 2 white	18,199	24,310	
No. 2 rye	925	925	4,984

FIGHT ON WHEAT CONTRACTS.

Vote on Substitution of Hard Winter for No. 2 Red.

A vote of the Merchants' Exchange members on the question of permitting the delivery of No. 2 hard winter wheat on No. 2 red wheat contracts at a discount in price of 3c for the hard winter below the red winter, brought out a large vote and a hot fight between those who favored and those who opposed the change.

Both sides were decorated with badges, the hard winterites wearing two. One simply read "For." The other bore this sentiment, "For hard winter, increased commerce, million population." The opponents' badge had the word "against."

Corwin H. Spencer was conspicuous as the leader of the hard wheat opponents.

One argument advanced in favor of hard winter was that with that wheat deliverable on contract the St. Louis wheat market could not be controlled and manipulated by one man. The "one man" referred to was understood to be Mr. Spencer.

At 12 o'clock the hard winter people claimed they were certain of carrying the rule. It took a two-thirds vote to carry it.

BUTTER, EGGS AND POULTRY.

BUTTER—Market dragging and large offerings. Creamery, extra, 30@31c; first, 26@27c; seconds, 24@25c. Ladle-packed, extra, 23@24c; firsts, 20@22c. Dairy packed, fancy, 25@27c; poor to fair, 19@21c. Process, 24@24½c for choice. Country roll, 19c, and packed, 18½c; Northern roll, 23@24c; grease stock, 4@5c.

CHICAGO, March 9.—Butter—Weak; creameries, 21@26c; dairies, 19@24c. Eggs—Firm; at mark, cases included, 19@19½c. Cheese—Firm; daisies, 13@13¼c; twins, 12@12½c; Young Americas, 13½c. Poultry—Alive, firm; turkeys, 14c; chickens, 12c; springs, 12c.

EGGS—Received 817 packages local and 496 through; shipped 467 packages. Market firm. Current receipts at 16½c, case count, cases returned; city packed, cases returned, 17½c, and extra, 18½c.

CHEESE—Northern on orders: Twin, 14c; single, 14¼c; daisies, 14⅝c; Young Americas, 15c; long horns, 15¼c. New York twins, 13½c; limburger, 14@14½c for choice; brick 14½@15c for choice, at 13@14c for poor; Swiss, 16c for choice.

LIVE POULTRY—Chickens strong and good local demand; receipts moderate. Turkeys higher. Fowls and young chickens, mixed, 11½c; broilers (2 pounds or less), 15c; roosters, old and stagsy young, 5c; turkeys, 16c for choice dressing stock; heavy toms, 14c and culls 10c; ducks, 13c lb; geese, 7c; capons, 14c; guinea chickens $2 per dozen; pigeons, 75c dozen.

DRESSED POULTRY—Slow sale. Scalded and drawn with head and feet on: Fowls and young mixed, 11½@12c; roosters, 6c; turkeys, 16@17c for choice; ducks, 14c; geese, 7@8c; capons, 15@16c; slips, less.

NEW YORK, March 9.—Poultry—Alive, weak; western chickens, 12c; fowls, 14c; turkeys, 15c; dressed, irregular; western chickens, 13@14c; fowls, 12½c; turkeys, 15@20c. Butter—Weak; street prices extra creamery, 25@25½c; official prices creamery, common to extra, 20@25c; do held, common to extra, 20@25c; state dairy, common to extra, 19@23c; renovated, common to extra, 18@22c; western factory, common to extra, 18@20c; western imitation creamery, common to extra, 20@22c. Cheese and eggs unchanged.

GAME—Wild ducks, per dozen: Mallards, $2.50; bluewing teal, $2.50; greenwing, $2.25; mixed, $1.23; jacksnipe, $1.25.

ROASTING PIGS—Market at 75c@$1.50 per head.

VEAL—Live, quiet; choice to fancy, 100 to 125 lbs., 6@6½c; heretics, small and thin, 3@4c.

FRESH FISH—Sunfish, 3c; crappie, 5c for small and 8c for large; black bass, 12½c; dressed cat, collarbone off, 10c, and collarbone on, 9c; spoonbill cat, 6½c; bullheads, dressed, 9c; buffalo, gross, 3½c, and dressed, 5½c for large, 4c for small; German carp, 2½@4c dressed; gross 2c; white perch, 3c; eels, 7c; dressed sturgeon, 7c; striped bass, 3@5c; turtles, snapping, 8c.

FROG LEGS—Choice large, $2.75 per dozen; medium, $1.75.

NEW YORK, March 9.—Sugar—Raw quiet; fair refining, 4 9-16c; centrifugal, 96-test, 5 1-16c; molasses sugar, 4 1-16c; refined quiet; crushed, 6.75c; powdered, 6.15c; granulated, 6.05c. Coffee—Quiet; No. 7 Rio, 7⅝c.

LIVESTOCK MARKET.

CATTLE—Receipts, 3500. A small supply of native cattle, mostly common and medium grades although a few pretty good steers were included. The quarantine supply was large, including some choice steers at $5 as well as the usual number of fair to good kinds. The market ruled active and steady to strong.

SALES.

No.		Av.	Price.
20	native beef steers	1201	$4 90
7	native beef steers	1004	4 75
17	native beef steers	1088	4 65
4	native beef steers	1076	4 60
15	native beef steers	1071	4 50
13	native beef steers	997	4 45
9	native beef steers	945	4 20
3	native beef steers	926	4 00
36	native beef steers	680	3 75
1	native beef steer	900	3 50
2	native beef steers	805	3 25
1	native beef steer	680	3 00
9	native heifers	814	4 60
2	native heifers	850	4 10
3	native heifers	926	4 00
6	native heifers	650	3 50
8	native heifers	688	3 25
8	native heifers	770	3 25
8	native heifers	592	3 10
2	native heifers	680	2 55
2	native cows	1115	4 00
3	native cows	1030	3 85
3	native cows	1093	3 70
2	native cows	1230	3 65
3	native cows	1080	3 50
3	native cows	1093	3 40
5	native cows	900	3 35
10	native cows	1048	3 30
2	native cows	817	3 10
14	native cows	845	3 00
2	native cows	1055	2 80
16	native cows	907	2 65
33	native cows	729	2 45
7	native cows	841	2 25
2	native cows	683	2 00
1	native cow	650	1 75
1	native bull	1380	3 60
1	native bull	1700	3 50
1	native bull	1280	3 25
1	native bull	1070	2 85
4	native bulls	822	2 50
17	native veal calves	160	7 25
3	native veals calves	160	7 00
1	native veal calf	90	6 75
1	native veal calf	350	4 00
25	native veals calves	52	2 50
1	native milker	...	45 00
2	native milkers (each)	...	33 00
4	native milkers (each)	...	28 00
221	stock steers	1011	4 10
14	stock steers	837	4 00
16	stock steers	848	3 90
5	native stock steers	728	3 60
1	native stock steer	830	3 00
8	native stock steers	701	2 80
6	native stock steers	421	2 60
22	Texas steers	1110	4 65
151	Texas steers	1132	4 60
41	Texas steers	120	4 50
135	Texas steers	1089	4 45
113	Texas steers	1019	4 40
118	Texas steers	915	4 15
27	Texas steers	947	3 85
21	Texas steers	892	3 65
6	Texas cows	766	3 00
6	Texas bulls	1390	3 30
36	Texas bulls	1384	3 20
20	Texas stags	740	3 75
42	Texas yearlings	506	2 85
86	Texas calves	320	11 00
54	Texas calves	374	9 00
65	Texas calves	202	5 50

HOGS—Receipts, 6000. A moderate supply of hogs on sale. Market fairly active and prices steady.

SALES.

No.	Av.	Price.	No.	Av.	Price.
61	237	$5 20	66	248	$5 17½
68	244	5 15	86	213	5 15
73	225	5 12½	86	171	5 12½
80	231	5 10	14	200	5 07½
84	211	5 05	60	280	5 02½
66	181	5 00	37	180	4 95
66	193	4 90	24	125	4 85
36	129	4 75	18	131	4 65
28	127	4 60	3	410	4 50
53	110	4 25			

SHEEP—Receipts, 800. A light supply and market slow and weak.

SALES.

No.		Av.	Price.
47	lambs	74	$6 00
10	native sheep	120	5 00
4	bucks	107	4 25

HORSES AND MULES—Receipts, 500. Market active.

INDEPENDENT STOCKYARDS.

ST. LOUIS, March 9.—Hog market opened steady, closed very active and strong. Receipts light.

CATTLE—Market steady.

SALES.

No.		Av.	Price.
8	native steers	1085	$4 70
6	native steers	1133	4 60
23	native steers	1109	4 50
1	native steer	1200	4 40
22	native steers	1070	4 30
1	native steer	1030	4 25
5	native steers	1098	4 10
10	native steers	890	3 75
11	native steers	871	3 60
10	native heifers	751	4 50
18	native heifers	798	4 45
15	native heifers	780	4 25
34	native heifers	717	4 10
28	native heifers	796	4 10
32	native heifers	755	4 00
1	native heifer	700	4 00
1	native heifer	680	3 90
21	native heifers	828	3 85
28	native heifers	625	3 85
30	native heifers	779	3 60
29	native heifers	762	3 55
18	native heifers	905	3 30
6	native heifers	800	3 25
8	native heifers	570	3 25
12	native heifers	585	3 25
1	native heifer	600	2 90
23	native cows	1223	3 85
11	native cows	1187	3 65

HOGS—Market steady.

SALES.

No.	Av.	Price.	No.	Av.	Price.
61	266	$5 22½	79	182	$5 20
10	232	5 20	40	209	5 15
43	233	5 12½	23	168	5 10
11	160	5 10	26	192	5 10
87	179	5 07½	94	177	5 07½
15	102	4 75			

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RAILWAYS COMMON STRONG

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On the local stock exchange today trading was still largely confined to United Railways common and the price of this security continued to advance. Sales were made at $26.25 compared to $26 at yesterday's session and at the close the stock was in excellent demand at the improved figure. United Railways preferred was taken at $78.75 and Brown Bros. subscriptions were steady at $115.50 bid and offerings at $116. Suburban stock was taken at a sharp advance at $80.

Missouri-Lincoln Trust and National Bank of Commerce were the active issues in the bank and trust list and on sales at $144 and $325½ and $325 respectively showed practically no change on the call.

Central Coal and Coke issues were still the center of an excellent buying movement, the common stock gaining 1½ points to sales at $70.75 while the preferred gained over 2 points at $80.25.

Sales were made in Westinghouse at $34, in Brewery Association 6s at $101.87½ and in Kansas City Telephone 5s at $97.25 and this closed the trading.

FULL SESSION—CLOSING QUOTATIONS.

	Bid.	Asked.
United Railways preferred	$ 78 75	$ 79 00
do common	26 25	26 37½
do 4s	88 75	88 87½
Brown Bros. subscriptions	115 50	116 00
Suburban	80 00	......
American Exchange Bank	250 00	......
Boatmen's Bank	262 50	267 00
Mechanics' Bank	282 50	285 00
National Bank of Commerce	324 87½	325 50
South Side Bank	175 00	......
State National Bank	180 00	187 50
Third National Bank	326 00	327 00
Missouri Lincoln Trust	143 75	144 00
Mississippi Valley Trust	......	390 00
Title Guaranty Trust	62 00	......
National Candy common	10 00	......
do first preferred	97 00	98 00
Central Coal and Coke com.	70 75	......
American Central Insurance	254 00	......
Alton Granite preferred	77 50	83 00
Kennard Carpet common	126 00	......
do preferred	117 00	......
Laclede Gas preferred	95 50	......
do 5s	108 75	......
Missouri-Edison 5s	102 75	......
East St. L. & Suburban	103 00	......
City 4s, 1918	106 50	107 50
Merchants' Terminal 5s	114 50	......
Merchants' Bridge 6s	113 25	113 62½
Alton Bridge 4s	94 00	......
Brewing Association 6s	101 75	102 00
Center Creek	......	1 80
St. Louis Transfer	60 00	......
Westinghouse	34 00	34 75
Kansas City Tel. 5s	97 25	97 50
Bonne Terre	3 12½	......
Consolidated Coal	29 00	......
Catering, common	8 00	10 00

SALES.

United Railways common, 285 at $26.25.
United Railways preferred, 50 at $78.75.
St. Louis & Suburban, 10 at $80.
Missouri-Lincoln Trust, 20 at $144.
National Bank of Commerce, 15 at $326 and 70 at $325.50.
Central Coal and Coke, 50 at $70, 100 at $70.25 and 105 at $70.75.
Central Coal and Coke preferred, 115 at $80.25.
Westinghouse, 20 at $34.
Brewing Association 6s, $1000 at $101.87½.
Kansas City Telephone 5s, $1000 at $97.25.

LIVESTOCK BY TELEGRAPH.

CHICAGO, March 9.—Cattle—Receipts, 9000; good to prime steers, $5@6.25; poor to medium, $3.75@4.75; stockers and feeders, $2.50@4.60; cows, $2.75@4.50; heifers, $3@5.25; canners, $1.50@2.40; bulls, $2.50@4; calves, $3@6.75. Hogs—Receipts today, 23,000; tomorrow, 20,000; steady at yesterday's average; mixed and butchers', $4.90@5.12½; good to choice heavy, $5@5.15; rough heavy, $4.85@4.95; light, $4.75@5.75; bulk of sales, $4.95@5.12½. Sheep—Receipts, 18,000; steady; lambs steady; good to choice wethers, $5.60@6; fair to choice mixed, $5@5.50; western sheep, $5@6; native lambs, $5.75@7.75; western lambs, $6@7.65.

OMAHA, March 9.—Cattle—Receipts, 3200; market steady to strong; native steers, $3.75@5.75; cows and heifers, $3@4.25; canners, $2@3; stockers and feeders, $2.50@4.50; calves, $3@6.25; bulls and stags, $2@4. Hogs—Receipts, 9600; market shade lower; heavy, $4.90@5; mixed, $4.85@4.90; light, $4.75@4.85; pigs, $2.75@4.75; bulk of sales, $3.82½@4.90. Sheep—Receipts, 3600; market mostly 10c lower; western yearlings, $5.75@6.70; wethers, $5@5.70; ewes, $3.75@4.40; lambs, $6.50@7.40.

KANSAS CITY, March 9.—Cattle—Receipts, 4000, including 250 southerns; market steady; native steers, $4@5.80; southern steers, $3.50@4.75; southern cows, $2.25@3.50; native cows and heifers, $2@4.75; stockers and feeders, $2.60@4.60; bulls, $2.50@4.10; calves, $3@6; western fed steers, $3.75@5.25; western fed cows, $2.50@4. Hogs—Receipts, 9000; market weak to 5c lower; bulk of sales, $4.85@5.05; heavy, $5@5.07½; packers, $4.90@5.05; pigs and lights, $4.50@5. Sheep—Receipts, 3000; market steady; muttons, $4.25@5.75; lambs, $6.50@7.40; range wethers, $5.25@6.65; fed ewes, $4.75@5.40.

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Message in Belleville From Her That She Learned He Borrowed $60 in Madison.

According to a message received in Belleville from Mrs. J. F. Peters, wife of Prof. Peters, instructor in Latin and German in the Belleville High School and treasurer of Christ Church, she has not seen her husband since he left Belleville Saturday morning.

Mrs. Peters came to St. Louis Sunday in answer to a message from her husband, it was understood, but she says that she has learned that he went to Madison, Ill., where he borrowed $60 from a friend and disappeared.

It was learned Thursday that Fred Keck, representative in the Legislature, recently advanced $1000 to the congregation of Christ Church to take up a note for $1000 held against it by Rev. Von Rague, father-in-law of Prof. Peters, who had written that he needed the money.

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Pain in the Stomach

This letter from Mr. Nelson La Barr, Plainfield, N. J., is but one of hundreds that go to prove the statements we make for Rexall Dyspepsia Tablets. Mr. LaBarr says:

"I have been troubled some months with indigestion in a very severe form, palpitation of the heart, bloating of the stomach and frequently have excrutiating pains lasting for several hours and very often deprive myself of food rather than suffer as I knew I would after eating. I noticed your advertisement regarding Rexall Dyspepsia Tablets and obtained one of your samples and since then have been using them constantly and have found them to give great relief, so much that I would not be without them. Since using Rexall Dyspepsia Tablets I no longer have the pains or any of the terrible sufferings which I endured before using them, and can now eat and relish any kind of food. I treated with reputable physicians for my troubles but without success, and decided to try your tablets and have certainly had splended results, and I take pleasure in making this statement for an article of such merit and have spoken to many of my friends regarding the Rexall Dyspepsia Tablets."

We sell a large trial package at twenty-five cents that will last you fifteen days. If it does not do you as much good as it did Mr. LaBarr we will refund your money.

FREE With Every Purchase Friday and Saturday, 10c Package Ella Berry's CREOLE TEA.

CIGARS AT CUT PRICES.

Barristers, 10c size.........	4 for 25c
Precidencia, 10c size........	4 for 25c
Tom Moore, 10c size..........	4 for 25c
Friday and Saturday Cigar Flyers—Flor De Astro and Lillian Russells, 2 for 5c, box 50 cigars......	$1.25
Henry George, 5c size......	3 for 10c
Havanola, 5c size..........	3 for 10c
La Tasa, reg. 10c.......... (Clear Havana, try them.)	3 for 25c
Flor De Wolff, 2-for-25c size....	10c
La Garnita, 2-for-25c size.......	10c
Flor De Wilson, 2 for 25c........	10c
Bock (Imported Reciprocity)....	10c
The Washington Fountain Syringe, rapid flow, in wood box, well worth $1.50— Sale price	98c

TOOTH PREPARATIONS.

Rexall Tooth Paste, only	15c
Lyons' Tooth Powder...........	14c
Pasturine Tooth Paste..15c 2 for	25c
Graves' Tooth Powder	15c
Sanitol Tooth Preparations......	17c

SATURDAY CANDY

Sold only Saturdays at, pound.................. Regular price 60c.	29c

VISIT OUR PERFECT SODA FOUNTAIN

Hot Beef Tea.....................	5c
Charlotte Russe with a cup of our delicious hot coffee..........	10c
Try an Egg Phosphate..........	10c

Get it at Wolff-Wilson's

S. E. Cor. Sixth St. and Washington Av.

"A FREE BRIDGE, FAIR RATES," SAY CITIZENS

St. Louis Business Men, Who Are Backing Bill in Legislature, Believe the Measure Will Solve the Terminal Problem.

TO MEET SATURDAY TO COMPLETE ORGANIZATION

"We Want to Put St. Louis on Railroad Map as Conspicuously as Any Other City," Says Chairman Barret.

The Citizens' Free Bridge and Improved Terminal Association, which is backing the plan for cities in Missouri of 100,000 or more population to acquire, build and operate free railroad, wagon and foot bridges, will meet Saturday afternoon at 3 o'clock at the Southern Hotel to elect officers and complete the remaining details of organization.

Mr. A. B. Barret, chairman of the temporary organization, urges all public-spirited citizens of Missouri and Illinois who wish to become identified with this movement to be present and take an active part in the proceedings. Those who wish to apply by mail for membership should address Mr. Barret at 315 North Main street. The dues will be only $1 a year, as members and not money is desired by the organization, their moral support being greatly needed. Mr. Barret, in speaking of the work the association has outlined, said to the Post-Dispatch Thursday:

"The bill now before the Missouri Legislature empowering cities of 100,000 or more population to build or acquire and operate free railroad, wagon and foot bridges, was drawn by a lawyer member of our movement at the joint request of Gov. Folk and our organization. Then Gov. Folk took it in charge and gave it to Senator McAllister of Monroe County for introduction into the Assembly.

"This movement was conceived and inaugurated by business men of St. Louis, who have suffered from the evils of the 'bridge arbitrary,' and it is designed to eliminate those evils wholly from our commercial life. It is entirely a public spirited movement and there is no possible way for private gain to figure in it. The benefit that will come from this solution of the 'bridge arbitrary' will accrue to the whole city. The articles of association speak for themselves:

"'We, the undersigned citizens of St. Louis, Mo., hereby associate ourselves together with the object of obtaining the abolishment of the bridge arbitrary charges and the absorption of the same in all through freight rates to and from St. Louis, Mo., and the acquisition and control by the city of St. Louis, or by the city and state jointly, of a free bridge across the Mississippi river at St Louis; and the reduction and regulation by state authority of the present switching charges; and whenever practicable, to advance the interests of St. Louis, Mo., so as to furnish our city and our citizens with equal opportunity to compete everywhere with other cities and the citizens thereof, for all classes of business, and to encourage policies and things that will, in a business way, give equal opportunities to all and special privileges to none.'

"What we wish to achieve is the placing of St. Louis on the railroad map as conspicuously as any other city and to give equal shipping facilities at equal rates.

"We believe that we have the correct solution of a question that has long puzzled St. Louis business men and that the adoption of our plan will bring the relief our citizens have been seeking.

"We have written to Senator McAllister, thanking him for his good offices in introducing the bill and assuring him we will have a capable committee on hand at all hearings to present the city's claims.

"We also want the co-operation of all civic-pride organizations and hope they will aid us in convincing the Legislature the relief sought is needed.

"With the specific obect of improving terminal charges and facilities and promoting the free bridge and with well-defined ideas how to proceed, our association is working with commendable energy and dispatch."

GET WORK OR LOSE HIS HOME

Boy Says Father Told Him Not to Return Without Employment.

Johnny Kozel, 13 years old, hungry and dirty, was found sleeping on some hay in a deserted barn in the rear of 2012 South Eighth street, Thursday morning.

Policeman John Hilker took the boy to the Soulard street police station, washed his face and fed him.

The lad said his father, John Kozel of 1851 South Fifteenth street ordered him to leave home, Saturday night, and not come back until he had got work. He declared he was afraid to return.

He had wandered about, he said, looking for a job and eating and sleeping where he could get food or a place to lie down.

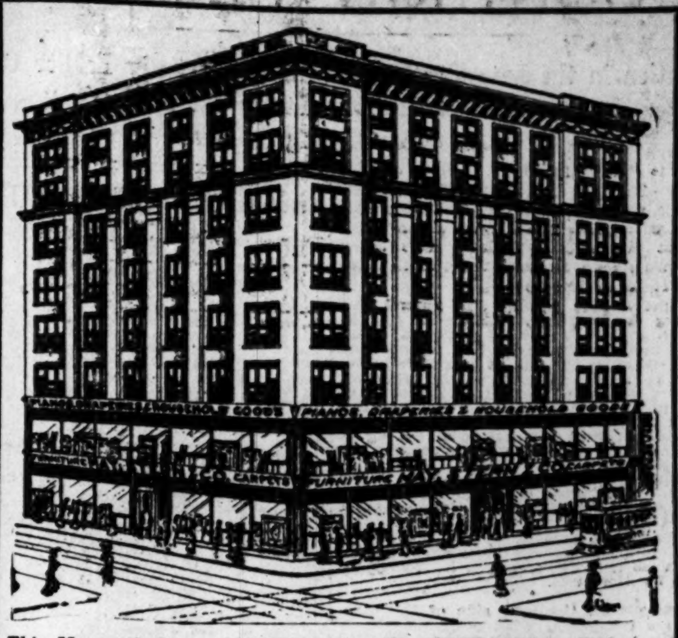
Rose Kosel 17 years old, the only member of the family at home, said her brother was reprimanded by his father for insolence, but she does not know that he was ordered from home. The family came to St. Louis from Bohemia two years ago, she said, and the boy had refused either to go to school or to work. His mother is dead.

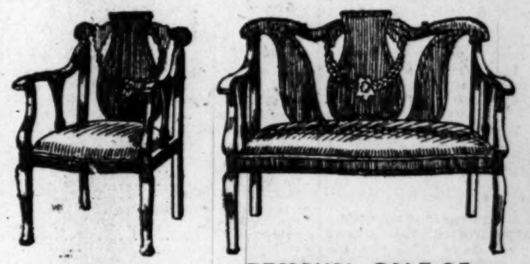
ROYAL ARCANUM PROGRAM.

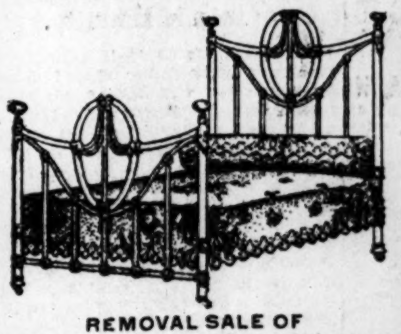
Benton Council to Celebrate Attainment of 1000 eMmbership.

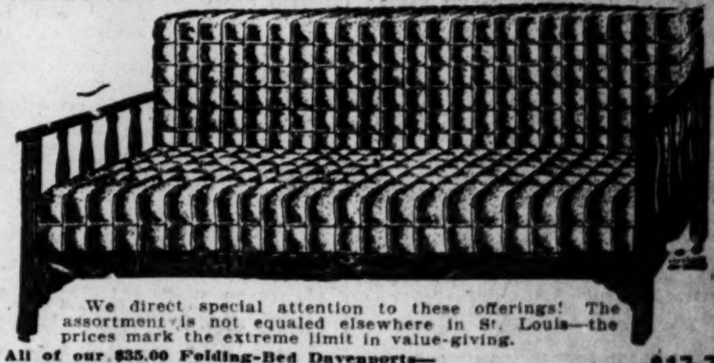
Benton Council, No. 183, Royal Arcanum, will on Thursday evening celebrate its attainment of a membership of 1000 by giving an entertainment and dance at Liederkranz Hall, to which invitation has been extended to all members of the council as well as to the grand and supreme officers of the organization. The entertainment feature of the occasion consists of a musical program, in which the performers are recruited from the ranks of the council itself, which numbers in its membership some of the best musical talent in the city. An orchestra under the direction of Fred Schillinger will play, the Benton quartet will be heard in a pleasing number, Alfred T. Braun will play a violin solo of compositions by D'Ambrosia and Haeschal, Francis E. Cook will recite, Wallace Niedringhaus is to sing a baritone solo, Prof. Ernest R. Kroeger plays a piano solo of two Kroeger compositions, John Dauer will give songs and stories, and the program closes with a Benton quartet number. Other well-known members who will take part are Louis Hammerstein, Noel Poepping, Carl Tholl and Bruno C. Strassberger.

Busy Bee Bargain Day tomorrow. Broadway Mixture, one-half chocolates, 15 cents pound.









WE'RE GOING TO MOVE

TO S. E. COR. 12th AND OLIVE STREETS

This Mammoth Store—CORNER 12th AND OLIVE STS.—will be occupied by May, Stern & Co. as soon as alterations are completed.

Where we will have the largest and finest store in America—devoted exclusively to Furniture, Carpets and House Furnishings. But before we move

OUR PRESENT STOCK MUST BE CLOSED OUT

Our great Removal Sale is now on—began Monday morning with the swiftest and most enthusiastic furniture selling ever seen in St. Louis—and is continuing from day to day with unabated vigor.

The values are extraordinary! From one end of the store to the other prices have been slashed to the lowest level.

It's YOUR opportunity to secure the best qualities of Furniture and Carpets at a great saving—and we earnestly advise you to take advantage of it.

REMOVAL SALE OF

PARLOR SUITS.

Now—right now—is the time to get that new Parlor Suit that you have been promising yourself. Greater values than these could not be asked for.

All Three-Piece Parlor Suits—were $18.00— Removal Sale Price	$10.75
All Three-Piece Parlor Suits—were $25.00— Removal Sale Price	$16.00
All Five-Piece Parlor Suits—were $35.00— Removal Sale Price	$22.50
All Five-Piece Parlor Suits—were $60.00— Removal Sale Price	$37.50

REMOVAL SALE OF

EXTENSION TABLES.

All $7.50 Extension Tables— Removal Sale Price	$4.48
All $12.00 Extension Tables— Removal Sale Price	$7.50
All $20 Extension Tables— Removal Sale Price	$12.50
All $25 Extension Tables— Removal Sale Price	$16.50

Open an Account with May-Stern's. Your credit is good and the terms will be arranged to suit YOUR convenience.

REMOVAL SALE OF

DRESSERS.

Out entire stock goes at these remarkable reductions:

All our $12.00 Dressers— Removal Sale Price	$7.75
All our $16.00 Dressers— Removal Sale Price	$11.50
All our $23.50 Dressers— Removal Sale Price	$16.50
All our $35.00 Dressers— Removal Sale Price	$21.50
All our $45.00 Dressers— Removal Sale Price	$28.75
All our $60.00 Dressers— Removal Sale Price	$38.50

REMOVAL SALE OF

ROOM-SIZE RUGS.

Prices have been cut right down to that point where swift selling is a positive certainty.

Ingrain Room Rugs—worth $6.50—Removal Sale Price	$4.25
Ingrain Room Rugs—worth $12.50—Removal Sale Price	$7.98
Bruszels Room Rugs—worth $18.50—Removal Sale Price	$11.50
Velvet Room Rugs—worth $25.00—Removal Sale Price	$16.50
Axminster Room Rugs—worth $40.00—Removal Sale Price	$25.00

REMOVAL SALE OF

SIDEBOARDS.

Just stop and think what these values mean to you personally.

All our $12.50 Sideboards —Removal Sale Price	$7.98
All our $18.00 Sideboards —Removal Sale Price	$11.75
All our $28.50 Sideboards —Removal Sale Price	$18.50
All our $40.00 Sideboards —Removal Sale Price	$22.50
All our $60.00 Sideboards —Removal Sale Price	$35.00
All our $70.00 Sideboards —Removal Sale Price	$45.00

REMOVAL SALE OF

IRON and BRASS BEDS

All our $3.50 Iron Beds— Removal Sale Price	$1.29
All our $10.00 Iron Beds— Removal Sale Price	$4.50
All our $12.00 Iron Beds— Removal Sale Price	$7.75
All our $18.00 Iron Beds— Removal Sale Price	$12.50
All our $35.00 Brass Beds— Removal Sale Price	$22.75
All our $50.00 Brass Beds— Removal Sale Price	$31.50

REMOVAL SALE OF

BED DAVENPORTS

We direct special attention to these offerings! The assortment is not equaled elsewhere in St. Louis—the prices mark the extreme limit in value-giving.

All of our $35.00 Folding-Bed Davenports— Removal Sale Price	$17.75
All of our $40.00 Folding-Bed Davenports— Removal Sale Price	$27.50
All of our $45.00 Folding-Bed Davenports— Removal Sale Price	$34.50
All of our $60.00 Folding-Bed Davenports— Removal Sale Price	$42.50

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WE GIVE EAGLE TRADING STAMPS.

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